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WAR

South Africa

Is Again Reaching a Critical Stage.

The Censors Are at Work

and Little is Known of the Movements of Troops.

Maleking Not Relieved-Blowing Up o Bridges Indicates That the Boers Have Abandoned Defense of Free State.

special by Associated Press.

London, March 21 .- The only news from South Africa showing activity on either side comes today from Warrentown, north of Kimberly, where desultory fighting occurred all day Sanday, resulting in the retreat of It is reported that Mr. Steyn is trying the Boers towards Christiana, under shell fire. The progress of this colone towards Mafeking has either almost reased or is forbidden to be mentioned in the war despatches. Nothing new comes from Col. Plumer nd Mafeking up parently still awaits

The second edition of the Times today publishes a dispatch from Bloemtestein dated Monday, March 19th, which says: "The blowing up of the bridges by the Boers is an evident sign that the Transvaulers intend to shandon the defense of the Free

PROCLAMATION

based by the British Regarding Distribu- Minor. tion of Property.

London, March 21 .- The war office has received the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated at Bloem leatein: "Kitchener occupied Prieska enapposed. The rebets surrendered tasir arms. The Transvanlers escaped scross the river. Mr. Steyn is cirediating a notice by means of despatch riters, in reply to my proclamation. to the effect that any burgher who signs a declaration that he will not as a traitor and shot. The Boers have legun to surrender on the Basutoland frontier."

London, March 21 .- The present surroundings of the war show interesting developments. The colonial office has telegraphed to Cape Town the text of the proclamation concerning the desimportion of property. This will not be published in London until after its promulgation in South Africa, but it is known it will convey an intimation that any wanton destruction of British property during the war will be resarded as warranting a claim for composation and as justifying a levy upon private property, should the resources of the Transvaal Republic prove inad-

The fact that the proclamation is issued by the colonial office is regarded es a significant indication that the republics will be administered as crown colonies. In this conection it is unterstood that the leaders of the opposition in parliament now admit that to other settlement is possible, since the republics insist upon their demand for absolute independence. In view of this the efforts of the Liberals will e confined to securing in the settlewant the best treatment for the Dutch Population, including security against

their disfranchisement. it is becoming regarded as quite a settled matter that should the war be aded, as is now hoped, before June, the government will dissolve parliament and appeal to the country on the hasis of a successful South African Policy. Should the war drag on, dissolution will be postponed until next Pring. In any event, one of the foremost planks of the government platform will be army reorganization. There is no further information as

o the movements of Sir Alfred Milner. t is regarded as certain, however, that he has gone to Bloemfontein to arrange for the temporary administration of the Free State.

Mr. Steyn's reply to Lord Roberts' barge of the misuse of flags of truce commented upon as impertinent and fidiculous and Lord Roberts' course in dosing a useless discussion is commended as wise.

ledications from Natal seem to show that General Buller's forward movement will not be long delayed.

Kruger's Statement.

New York, March 21.- A local paper whilshes the following cablegram from

President Kruger, dated Pretoria, March 20: "Having been forced into the war, the Boers will conquer or die. I expect no aid from other nations. but we are glad of sympathy and friendship. The Transvaal is willing to make peace at any time, but we want no more conventions. Only absolute independence is possible. We don't ask more territory, but are content with our present frontier. This is all we ask. It is too early to prophesy the outcome of the war or its duration. The Boers are in God's hands and He will not let us perish. Our total fighting strength is but 40,000 strong, but with God's aid we can prevail. Convey to the American people Breaking of an Engine my esteem. We feel that every American should be with us in this strug

A Denial.

gle for liberty."

Berlin, March 21.-There is no foundation for the statement that Germany has participated in any way in a reported Franco-Russian communique to Great Britain with reference to establishing peace in South Africa. Ger many answered the Kruger-Steyn appenl unaided and uninfluenced, and the text of the answer has been published through the German consul at Pre toria. No negotiations took place between Germany and Russia.

Flying White Flags. Donkersport, Free State, March 21. -A reconnaissance toward Philippolis, 25 miles west of Springfontein, found the farms all flying white flags. The British troops were cordially received.

to rally the Boers, but the latter say

they have had enough. Mines Not Destroyed.

Bioemfontein, March 21.-It is reported from Johannesburg that it is not true that the mines have been fleeded or otherwise damaged beyond the fact that the machinery is suffering from misuse. The whole story was fabricated to court sympathy.

Treasury Statement. Washington, March 31.-Statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the \$150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption: Available cash balance \$158,567,380;

gold, \$97,857,050. Sultan Vields. Constantinople, March 21 .- The sultan has yielded in all essential particulars to the Russian demands respecting railway concessions in Asia

POLICE

Raid the Highbinders,

Capturing Six of the Most Desperate Members.

figur against us again will be treated Four Murders Charged to the Leader and

Special by Associated Press. San Francisco, March 21 .- A police raid made ou High Binders last night resulted in the capture of the first six of the most notorious members of the be present and enjoy the hospitalities Sucy Sing Tong. Each of the men in custody is accused of at least, one murder and several are suspected of baving assassinated two or more members of the rival Tongs. The supposed leader is charged with four marders. He attempted to draw a revolver when the officers arrested him, but was disarmed.

COL. BUNKER

Formerly of the O. N. G. Found Dead in His Office,

Special by Associated Press.

Columbus, March 21.-A special to from congestion of the brain after an to the Dispatch from Toledo, says: illness of two weeks duration. The Col. Henry S Bunker, a prominent attorney, and a former military man, was found dead in his office this forenoon with a bullet wound in the back last year. She was a daughter of Mr. of his neck. A revolver lay on the and Mrs. Monfort. floor near him, but it is not known whether the tragedy was murder or

British Ship Ashere. San Francisco, March 21.-Word has been received in this city that the British ship City of Florence, bound Moon buy, within 200 yards of the scene of the wreck of the steamer City of Columbia, which went ashore near Half Moon bay two years ago. The vessel is a total wreck and is breaking up fast. The crew is safe.

Support Expansion. Philadelphia, March. 21,-The Philadelphia conference of the Methodis; Episcopal church adopted a paper in support of the expansion policy of the present national administration. The paper is in all respects similar to the one adopted recently by the South lon to be initiated next week. Kansas conference and is in the form of a call for volunteers to go to the Philippines for evangelistic work.

DOWN

Fell the Carriage Carrying Thirty Men.

The Cause of an Awful Disaster in Chicago.

Elevator Fell From the Third Floor Into the Basement While Loaded With Printers Who Had Worked

all Night.

pecial by Associated Press.

Chicago, March 21.-Thirty perone were injured shortly after 6 o'clock this morning by the falling of a heavy freight elevator in the rear of a building at 126 Market street, where the victims of the ascident were employed by the Blakely Printing Co. It is thought that none of the injured will die, although several of them were very badly burt. Following are those who were the most seriously injured: George Hale, Albert Christain, Joseph Hoffman, Albers Seiferd, Ernest Hein, James Delaney, Walter Hartwig, Patrick Foley, Edward Levy, James Thomas, George Weikes, John Rambo, George Hall, Edward Laville, Edward Wolf, Edward King, Louis Stanton, George Compton.

The men had worked all night in printing shop and had crowded into the elevator at the top floor. blg elevator moved slowly down the shaft until the third floor was reached and then the engine broke and an instant later the lift, filled with a mass of agonized victims, crashed into the basement. It was some three before a sufficient number of ambulances were secured to remove the injured to their homes, or in the more serious cases, to the hospital.

LIMA TENT NO. 142,

Knights of the Maccabees Will Hold a Smoker Thursday.

This tent will give a smoker and social to the Maccabees of the city in their hall Thursday evening, March 22nd. Every member of Lima Tent expected to be present and assist in entertaining the visiting Sir Knights. They also have the privilege of bringing a friend with them. With this exception the invitation is confined to the Maccabees of this city who are most heartily and cordially invited to of the oceasion. Refreshments will be served. By order of the commander.

H. J. BECKMAN, R. K.

TWO WEEKS

Illness Results in the Death of Mrs. D. E. Berryman.

Mrs. Berryman, wife of David E. Berryman, dled at their home in Amanda township, twelve miles west of this city yesterday, death resulting deceased was 20 years of age and had been matried since November 19, of

Funeral services were held at Zion M. E. church today, Rev. L. Cook, of Spencerville, officiating.

THE BEST POSTED PEOPLE

from Iquique for San Francisco with In the city say our display of Orienta a cargo of nitre, in ashore at Half Rugs is very fine and that the prices are wonderfully low. We would like to show them to you.

THE NEWSON-DEAKIN BOND CO.

K. OF P. TEAM.

All members who have taken part in the Third Rank work are requested to be at Castle hall tonight for practice. Several candidates from Bluff-

Crosson & Co., has what you want in

DEMAND AN INCREASE. Another Strike Threatened In the Pana Coal District.

Pana. Ill., March 21 .- Another strike is threatened in this city at the coal An Elevator Shaft mines. The mining scale of 40 cents per ton expires the first of the month. Ato the Springfield convention a few

weeks ago the mining for this district was set at 49 cents per ton. Already several manufacturing firms of the city are stocking up coal and preparing for the occasion. It is said that both the Penweli and Pana coal mining companies have stated that they would shut down the mines the first of April

Fortifications In Canada. Washington, March 21.-The house entered upon the consideration of the Loud bill to restrict the character of publications entitled to pound rates as second-class mail matter. The bil has been before congress for several years. Before the bill was taken up Mr. Sulzer (N. Y.) delivered a denunciation of the administration in connection with the resolution of inquiry calling upon the war department for information as to what fortifications Great Britain was erecting on the Canadian border. The committee on military affairs submitted a reply of Adjutant General Corbin saying such information was secret, but that Great Britain was erecting no works which threatened our rights. The committee recommended that the resolution lie upon the table. The house sustained the committee's recommendation by a vote of 110 to 97.

Sentiment of Nationalists. London, March 21,-At a National ist banquet in London John Redmond leader of the Nationalist narty in the house of commons, who presided, said be regarded the last nine years of public life in Ireland as a hideous nightmare. "Our reunion is sincere," he continued, "and there is nothing, humanely speaking, which the 85 Irish members of parliament cannot obtain from the exigencies of the British parties. It is incredible that English statesmen can be so blind to the teachings of history as to linagine that ser ious practical grievances can be mit igated by a royal visit to Ireland, o by a British celebration of St. Patrick'

Ricked by a Harse. Massillon, O., March 21 .- Austin A Shupe, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Shupe was killed by being kicked in the head

by a horse. Surgeous trephined his skull, but the young man never recovered consciousness.

DEWEY'S

Illness Not Improved.

Celebration Declared Off.

The Admiral Expects to be Able to Review the Military Parade This

Afternoon for Short Time.

Special by Associated Press.

Savannah, March 21.—Admiral Geo. Dewey, who was taken ill resterday afternoon, is but little improved today. He is semewhat stronger, but unable to leave his room, and the morning part of the celebration was therefore declared off. He promises, however, to review military parace. this afternoon and attend the banquet tonight if but for a short time. Gen'l Nelson A. Miles and his party will arrive at 6 o'clock this evening from Port Royal.

LIMA

Chosen as the Place for the Re publican Convention.

Congressional Committee Met at the Norval and Decided to Hold the Convention on April 20th.

The Republican congressional committee of the 4th district met at the Norval hotel today and arraged for the district congressional convention. Lima was chosen as the place and the date fixed was Friday, April 20. The convention will place in nomination a candidate for congress, a presitwo alternates, to attend the National Republican Convention.

and R. H. Chapman, of Celina, were chosen temporary chairman and secretary respectively. The committee was composed of Gaill. Christe, of Lima, chairman; John Ja Sullivan, of St. Marys, secretary, R. D. Mede, of Anna, and Geo. W. Porter, of Greenville. Mr. Sullivan held the proxy of away. It costs you nothing.

SIX

Lives Were Saved

By the Heroic Work of a Young Colored Man.

Hanging by His Legs

He Rescued Prisoners From a Burning Building.

Falher end Six Children Were Entraped By Flames and Would Have Perished But for the Young Man's Brave Deed.

pecial by Associated Press. New York, March 21.-Six lives vere saved this morning by the gallant work of M. S. Auderson, a young colored man. During a fire at a flat enement house in west 13th street Anderson detected the fire while on his way to work and in a window on the second floor of the building stood a man named Nelson with his six little children hovering about him, their escape having been cut off by the flames. With two passersby Anderson ran into the building next door and up to the third floor. With his two companions holding his legs he swung head downward and swaying his body backward and forward, managed to reach the children as they were held up to him by the father. All were taken out by him safely in

GALA NIGHT.

Francis Wilson in Erminie Thurs-ˈday.

In the performance Which Mr. Wilson and his company will offer at the opera house on Thursday night it may be well to emphasize the fact that our theatre-goers will have an opportunity to see Mr. Wilson, Pauline Hall and Jennie Weathersby in the characters originally made famous by them in "E "minie" years ago in New York City. Mr. Wilson's supporting company includes sixty people, and is Morning Program of Savannah recognized as the largest and most ex. Regarding the Prosecution of the pensive organization now before the Other familiar names are Lulu Glaser, William Broderick, Josephine Knapp, A. M. Holbreck, Peter Lang, C. H. Bowers and Bessie

THE LIMA CLUB

Purchases an Elegant Steck Plano from Porter & Son.

Porter & Son have sold another of those elegant Steck pianos. This one is an upright in French burl walnut case and was purchased by the Lima club to adorn the magnificent parlor at the club house on west High street.

Porter & Son are selling more planes than any firm in northwestern Oblo and the instruments they have the agency for are giving perfect satisfaction because they are the very best that are manufactured.

TOMORROW MORNING At 8 O'clock

We place on sale 10 cases of Granite Ware in our Economy Basement at a price that will surprise you. The assortment consists of Wash Basins, Stew Kettles, Sauce Pans, Pudding Pans, Dairy Pans, Cake Pans, Pie. Pans, 2-Qt. Cups, Dippers, etc. These are seconds, but the imperfection is so Ipal guards caught. Bardin, and rethe article-in fact, these are better dential elector and two delegates and goods than a great many sell for firsts. Your choice of this let for 10 cents each. To be found in our Economy Judge J. I. Aliread, of Greenville Basement. FELTZ BROS. & Co.,

1st Door South of Court House.

OTHERS HAVE, HAVE YOU?

Visit our store this week and get a chance at the rug we are giving the Mercer county member. The Newson-DRAKIN BOND Co.

THREE SHOT DOWN. Fatal Altereation in Kentucky Over

an Old Grudge. Pineville, Ky., March 21.—On Mar rowbone creek, 20 miles from here John Langley and Moses Sopher had an altercation, in which Langley and Sopher were both killed and a max named Johnson was seriously wound ed. The altercation was over Lang ley arresting Sopher about two years ago, while constable, on a charge of obtaining goods under false pretenses Sopher was acquitted and claimed Langley had no authority to arrest him. Johnson claimed he was trying

to separate Sopher and Langley when he was shot. Secretary Root's Observations. Washington, March 21.-Secretary

of War Root gave to President Mc-Kinley the results of his observations of affairs in Cuba during his recent trip to the island. The secretary ex presses himself as satisfied with what he saw; the people appear to be getting along well and peace prevails throughout the country. Naturally the question of the ultimate independence of the island came up for discussion during the secretary's visit to Cuba but he was not prepared to say juswhen the United States governmen: would be willing that this should be a

By Acclamation.

reality.

Emporia, Kas., March 21.-Congressman James M. Miller of Council Grove was renominated by acclamation by the Republican convention of the Fourth district. S. B. Rohrer and Frank B. Hunsher were elected delegates to the national convention and H. G. Lamb was named as elector.

Sent Into Exile. Constantinople, March 21.-Eight ladies of the palace have been sent into exile for machinations in connection with the sultan's fugitive brother-in-law, Mahmed Pasha. The palace secretary, Kiamil Bey, was sud denly exiled to Hedjaz last Saturday. such a permit, regarding it as a hadge. The reason has not been made public of servitude and considering it an-

in Full Sway. Klagston, March 21.—The British cruiser Alert arrived here from Columbian ports. She reports the revolution there in full sway and that Britisa subjects are in need of protection. The Alert is coaling hastily and will return to Columbia.

Death of a Diplomat.

London, March 21.-Sir Edmund Douglas Veitch Fane, 63, envoy extrato the court of Copenhagen, is dead,

OFFICERS

Kentucky Suspects.

David G. Colson, Who flas Taken an Active Part, is Obeying Instructions

and Refuses to Talk.

Special by Associated Press.

Frankfort, Ky., March 21 .- County presecutor Polsgrove went to Lexington today where he is to meet and confer with sergeant F. W. Golden. who is said to be the most important witness for the state in the trials of the suspects that are held for connection with the Goebel assassina-tion. Ex-congressman David G. Colson, who is reputed to have urged the other suspects to confess and who has also rendered valuable aid to the detectives, is now obeying the advice of his lawyer and refuses to talk.

FRENCH

Wrath and Coolness Displayed During a Court Session.

Special by Associated Press. Paris, March 21 .- In the Palace of Justice to-day an attempt was made to murder the presiding judge of the fifth court by a druggist named Bar din, who had just lost a suit. The judges had just taken their seats when Bardin fired three shots at the judge, who had a narrow escape, the bullets grazing his head. The munic slight that it is hardly noticeable and moved him to a cell, while the judge will not burt the wearing qualities of with perfect coolness said to the connsel: "You can continue, Maitre, it is nothing "

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For selling points, rates, time of trains

and etc., apply to F. C. McCov,

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Agent. "He that seeks finds." He that takes Hood's Sarsaparilla finds in its use pure, rich blood and consequently

MORE

Tales of Horror

Told in the Investigation of Idaho Troubles.

How a Colored Soldier

Jabbed His Bayonet Through a Miner's Fingers

Because the Poor Fellow Thoughtlessly Stuck Them Through a Little Opening the Found in That Awful

Bull Pen.

Special by Associated Press.

Washington, March 21 .- The ex. mination of A. F. Gill was continued before the Coeur 'd Alene investigat. ing committee today and in response to inquiries made by representative Lentz, of Ohio, the wilness told of his visit to the "bull pen." Ab that time a prisoner chanced to put his ingers through a hole inside the prison. Thereupon the witness said colored soldier who was on guard on the outside, sheved his bayonet at the protruding fingers, indicting a

oloody wound. A copy of the permit required of those seeking work in the Coeur 'd Alene district was introduced and the witness said he bad not taken out American to require an oath to obey the law. A cross examination was directed showing that the permit system was designed to secure an orderly force of workmen in the mines. witness maintained, however, that its effect was to blacklist those who did not take out permits and the purpose was also to set up "oligarchy" or aristocracy of these in control of the permit system. He said a certain class of miners had deteriorated under the system so that now women did ordinary and minister plenipotentlary not take with trains, as many drunk. en men, carrying dirks in their belts, were usually on board.

ENGINEER

Are Conferring Today Killed in an Accident on the Pennsylvania at Altoona.

> Engine Left the Track and Turned Over Crushing Adam Kauliman Bencoth-Fireman Slightly Hurt.

Special by Associated Press

Altoona, Fa., March 21. - The engine hauling the second section of the western express, due here at 3:40 this morning from some cause unknown, left the track at the east end of the Altoona yards and fell over on its side. Engineer Adam Kauffman, of Harrisburg, was crushed in his cab and died soon after. Fireman W. M. Shuman, escaped with but a slight slight scalp injury. None of the pas-

senger or trainmen were injured. J. H. Schweitzer, formerly chief yard clerk for the L. E. & W. here, and more recently employed as an operator for that road at Alexandria, Ind., has resigned the latter position and has returned here to enter the service as a brakeman on the same road.

C. R. Colmy, road foreman of engines and Ed. McDonald, his assistant, were bota in Limatoday, looking after matters pretaining to the Pittsburg

Passenger Conductor, Charlie Long, of the C. H. & D. has rented a house on west Wayne street and will move his family to this city from Dayton.

Supt. Floeter of the C. H. & D. returned to Lime on No. 1 this morn ng; after a few days absence. He held a business conference at Toledo with general superintendent Turner, sud also made a visit to Canada, to look after his mining interests.

For ! al

Half interest in 15:) acre oil lease, Orange township, Hancock Co., O. The wells total production about thirty barrels per day. This lease is surrounded by oil production and is cheap. at \$6,000, Address,

J. E. WARNER, Oil and Real Estate Broker, Room 18, Opera House B. ck. 183-tt

Newspaper##CHIVE®

Life in Fortuguese Colonies Much Like it Was 300 Years Ago.

The Portuguese colonies in Africa are the Rip Van Winkle's land of reality. After three centuries of white dominion they remain pretty much in the condition in which Da Gama and his bold successors left them. In the year's report of our consul for Augola these Portuguese peculiarities' stand out strongly. Thus, from Loanda, the capital, to Cape Town, is about 1,550 males, and the lourney should take about six days. What actually hap- blood? It should have attengens is this fou hist take a trip of tion; the clods of impurity 3,000 miles to Madeira, where you way. lay the next mail steamer, and then journes of 4.800 miles to Cape Town. . with Hood's Sarsaparilla. In short, 7.800 miles have to be traveled to cover a distance of 1,600 miles. A letter between Cape Town and Loanda takes about two months. Here is a picture of what trades mean in the favored region of Cabinda bay. where there is a single trader, who occupies a house of three rooms, with a "shop of 20 by 8 feet attached. The place is stocked with puncheons of some vile staff called "rum," which are exchanged for palm kernels Knots of matrices from the interior villages with loads of kernels begin to present themselves at the shop at 6 a. m., and when the trader at last makes his aprearance there is a noisy crowd of kernel-sellers and thirsty hangers-on The exchange of rum for kernels is quick-By exected, and by 9 in the morning the entire population may be seen lying under the shelter of the cocoanut palms, either stupidly drunk or noisily quarreling On a "good" day, which is often enough Sunday, the trader at Crbinda hay gets rid of about 190 gallons of rum. And he avers that the scene described is repeated every day in the year. Next to rum and "civilization," the greatest curse of West Africa are smallpox and the sleeping sickness From the last no case of recovery bog ever been known, and so contagious is it that in the native Christian communities every commanicant has a separate vessel from while to partake of the sacramental wine It is true there are labor arrangements which look uncommonly lil'e slavery-but them, so there are in Rhodesia, and some are gleefully anth 'pating the time when Johannesourg will be better -- London Leader.

Army Problem.

The greatest difficulty with armies in active servi e in the food supply, enough must be obtained quickly and easily. We a! know the dreadful effects of thek of food at Santiago. After long study Germany and France both decided that Cocca and Chocolate were especially adapted for the purpose, being al nost entirely nutrive be endeavored to draw the teeth. The and shall in bulk. Coffee and tea inpurate Coron and Chocolife fed the 33 tem and little other food is requirel. La l'ennee Cancolate is soid The husband's idea was economy on the streets ready to drink. A cup of Choto' ite with a ban is the Frenchman's breasfeet and at triting cost Those was wish to economize should follow this example. Buy the best Oteneland Coess of Rose Sweet Choco-

DEFINITIONS. Are-fo which you pay scant cour-

temy these days Youth-Looked upon by age as

thing to be held back

Paradoz-The more we lose our temper, the more we have it.

Court-verb-To sue, but it is not a courting court when you sue Sac, not n suing court when you court Sue

Have You Been Cougning

A day, a week, a month, a year? Dr Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will cure that cough There can be no doubt of it It has cured many others equally severe. Druggists sell it. 25c. No cure no pay. T. N. Cunningham, 136 north Main street.

Habitation 1,100 Years Ago.

A great curiosity is a house 1.100 years of age and yet fit for habitation. This old dwelling, the oldest inhabited house in England, was built in the time of King Offa of Mercia. It is octagonal in shape, the walls of its lower story being of great thickness. The upper part is of oak. At one time the house was fortified and known by the name of St German's gate stands close to the River Ver, and only a few yards from St. Alban's abbey.

Dres Coffee Agree With You?

If you ever try Sutherland's Eagle for a line in the first lime i Eye Salve for failing eye sight, grant-six it for one week no hing would induce to be now the coopse. It bearishes and feels the system. The children can drink it fooly with as a limit the strength to the system of pure gribs. Out a taken of him your grave, follow the a keen-sighted advertises a fill relatively it is not you will have a keen-sighted advertises a fill relatively it is not you will have a keen-sighted advertises a fill relatively it is not you will have a keen-sighted advertises and relative that you will have a keen-sighted advertises and it is not a first or you will have a keen-sighted advertises and it is not a first or you will have a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will have a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will have a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will have a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will have a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will have a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will be a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will be a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will be a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will be a keen-sighted advertises a first or you will be a keen-sighted advertises.

If you ever try Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve for failing eye sight, grant-lated lids or sore eyes of any kind, you will be a keen-sighted advertises among your friends for it. Druggists a first or you will be a keen-sighted advertises among your friends for it. Druggists a first or you will be a keen-sighted advertises among your friends for it. Druggists a will be a keen-sighted advertises among your friends for it. Druggists a first or you will be a keen-sighted advertises and you will be a keen-sight will be a keen-sight and you will be a keen-sight

TOLD BY FIGURES.

At the imperial court of Austria the thef of Emperor Francis Joseph estimy tos that of \$250,000 expended on the tables every year the "unused" represcats about \$100,000

The heart of a vegetarian beats on an average of fifty-eight to the minute, that of the meat-enter indicates seventy-five. This represents a difference of 20,000 beezs in twenty-four hours

atterage brasengers landed at the bort -- tor mort enicomob une offin design as of New York. One line brought 19,753 senout full E usas fou july fep 19410 comin passengers and 53,616 steerage one partitioned as a 11 eldentament passengers in twenty-nine trips, while Alignst st esnot mossno equ ut pecold another line brought 19,045 cable pas come of pos to junous out pus union Benders and 50'822 steeleds base used for refuelts great as mas elonu in sixty-two trips.

" One Grain Fills not a Sack

But Helps Its Fellows."

In Spring work, we sow grain and expect a harvest. The cloddy ground is plowed, harrowed and cross-harrowed until with proper fertilizing it is in condition to respond heartily. How about your need dissolving and purifying

If this is done, the grains of health (corpuscles of blood) will bring you into perfect state, making you better fitted for life's duties and pleasures. Hood's never disappoints.

Catarrin-"I was so low with catarrh that I could not get around the house. Tried all sorts of remedies. Hood's Sersaparilla was the last. It cured me." MES. CHARLES REIVE, 335 Oak Lane, York, Pa. Dyspepsia-"We all use Hood s Sarsa

parilla. It cured my brother-in-law and myself of dysnepsia. I owe my life to it." M. H. Kirk, 607 Franklin St., Philadelphia Scrofula - "I am 77 years old and owe my good health and steady nerves to Hood's Sarsaparilia, as it cured me of scrofula, rheumatism and catarth. It has prolonged my life." James Brown, 1595 Pearl Street, Charlette Char

Cleveland, Ohio. Impure Blood - "My work was a hurden to me until I took Hood's Sarsaparilla Poor blood was the cause. Have gamed fiesh and have color in my face." Mrs A A. Howard, Taunton, Mass.

Pneumonia—"After an attack of preumonia my husband did not gain strength until he tock Hood's Sarsapartila. It made a new man of him. Mother had the grip and Hood's restored her strength Mrs. Henry O. Taylon, New Canaan, Conn.

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Hood's Sarsaparilla

Hood's Piliscure liver the the non irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

An Economical Bushard.

A Bucyrus (Ohio) dentist had a peculiar experience the other day. man called at his office and requested the loan of a pair of forceps saying he wanted to draw his wife's teeth. The dentist refused to lend his forceps, but the man was not satisfied, and, going to a hardware store bought a pair of common pincers, with which woman's face was badly lacerated and were round on no food vatue and really her gams were in fearful condition when she called upon the dentist the next day to have the job fluished up.

> Dr. Bell's Pine Tar-Honey advances new theory in the treatment of all cough, lung and bronchial troubles It cures and cures quickly. Absolutely harmless, and pleasant to take. It cuts loose the mucus without exerion or straining and stops the cough at once. It heals the inflamed parts It gives vigor and vitality to the respiratory organs. It enables the blood to receive the proper supply of oxygen. It builds up the system, ren lering it less susceptible to cold. T N. Cunningham, 136 north Main street

RAMS HORNS,

To be afraid of your friend is to lose him. God's glory does not depend on our glorias.

tongue. You cannot go to heaven looking

backward God's rewards are often greater re-

sponsibilities. Zeal without knowledge is dashing

into the dark. The truly great are usually the genninely humble.

God will reward you not for results, but for fidelity.

Men always begin to differ when they begin to think.

The world's need is both the cause

and the cure of its greed. The pleasures of fashion have never

yet fashioned true pleasure. Christ was the originator of truth. rather than a commentator on it. Ram's Horn.

In which the process was overruled. emn conciere, banded down a decision ere, after mature deliberation in soltion of the board of general appraisappealed, and the board of classificavigorously protested The case was which so entaged its owner that he lets" was assessed at 20 per cent, be had grown yery fond. His "mousewith him a pet white mouse, or which Juguord squing from Europe brought the Philadelphia Record. A gentie-In 1899 107,415 cabin and 203,762 sare Ann Anjand mounts astons uses

Daty on a Mouse.

Koodoosberg.

BURNING SUN AND BLINDING DUST

Frightful Experiences of Hardy Highlanders Sunstruck and Writhing For Water-Clouds of Sand and Numerous Insects-Hard Lot of the Fighting Tommy Atkins.

"Men seized with sunstroke, writhing and gasping for water, were lying every 50 pards or so" This is not a description of a battlefield, but mere ly the account of the very ordinary practice murch made by General Macdenald's bardy Highland brigade to Koodoosberg on Feb 3, writes the correspondent of the London Standard, as the brigade Lad marched only ten miles when the men thus began to suffer. The correspondent goes on to say. "Fortunately the river being close by dead.

water was procurable, and the men all got into camp at the drift by I o'clock. motive. Only a few of the cases turned out to be really serious. Two men were lost altogether, one of whom was found two days later by a pairol of lanceis. He was in a raying condition and died shortly after being brought into camp.

"The march clearly showed the danger of taking infantry for long distances in the heat of the day without a stitution and some women. proper water supply. It practically decides that the route to Pretoria must to do but which has all to do with us be either along a railway or along the l rivers. Another thing clearly manifested was the unsuitability of the heavy equipment of the men for a campaign in South Africa."

H. F. Prevost Battersby, writing from Orange River to the London Morning Post, gives a still clearer idea as follows.

"The sun feels like a heated iron a piece of wood which has been lying and North streets. in it. The deep, hot, 1ed sand makes intolerable the soles of one's boots, and the dust rises at each footstep and chags to everything that moves. To and fre in their midst, in a trall of dust that never settles, move continuously the long, strange trains of transports. The sidings are choked with trains loaded with an army. Progress is maddeningly slow, for there is but one line from De Aar to the Modder."

It is the placues of dust and files that make life unbearable. From Mod-

der River Mi. Battersby writes. "When the first shot was fired across the Modder river the land was green untechisome looking berbage, which man and beast accepted as fodder. Now it is a blazing red waste of sand. The waste extends, the sand is intensified as regiment is added to regiment, battalion to battalion, battery to battery, troop to troop. The dust, which was once a nuisance, is now little less than a plague It is always being stirred by the strings of borses on their way to watering, which pass and repass to the river almost every bour of the day, by the kicking, squealing spans of ozen.

It rises on the warning in thin, twisting spirals of yellow sand, which take their own way, beautiful and abominable, across the camp, beforling everything, upsetting everything that stands across their course and reaching for bundreds of feet upward into the still blue sky. But the dust devils are little more than an amusement to our dust ridden souls. It is the dust which comes, not in dainty spitals, but in overahelming clouds, that we fear; which hides, not a tent here and there, but the entire camp, the roof of heaven, all vestige A light head makes an easy running of the world; which blinds the eyes and brings blood to the cyclids, fills the mouth with its gritty foulness and coats every inch of the body with a film of brown; which lasts not for a few blustering moments, but for hour after hour of unrelieved discomfort. during which it is impossible to ride. to write or to forgive one's enemies. Well, we shall have, please heaven, but

few more days of it now. "After the dust-and but a short way after-the flies. One used to think, as a child, beside the lice and the blood and the blains, that the Egyptians were let off rather lightly with flies. A short stay by the Modder alters that opinion. The tent is black with them, the jam pots hum under the hand that lifts them from the table, and the files pour out between one's fingers like black spouts of water. A sudden pyramid of them forms on every morsel of food, and ene's hand is never at rest sweeping them from one's face. They follow the ink as one writes in search of some fresh experience, and the penis clogged with their severed feet. Beyoud doubt one did the Egyptians an

injustice. "But with the dust and the files trouble ecases. There are scorpious no doubt, tarantulas, lice and other little things of the kind, but these are but incidental worries. Against them must be set the magnificent sunlight day after day, the clear, cool nights, the plenitude of the air."

Reason For Their Course.

The neutrality of the great powers of Europe can hardly be looked upon as virtuous, says the New York Evening Sun. They are holding their hands off in the South African business because they are afraid of each other.

Ladysmith's Choice. Ladysmith hav ot last made her choice, says the Baltimore Herald, and, in accordance with the feminine instinct, she cast her tot with the fellow who has the largest resources.

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Eugene J. Hall, the ject and pubof what it is to soldier on the veldt lisher, says that one dose of l'oter's His dispetch, dated Feb. 5, is in part Honey and Tar restored his your when hoarseness threatened to prevent his lecture at Central Music Hall, Chiheld close to the skin. One cannot hold eago H F Vortkamp, corner Main

Got Back the Mirror.

A society woman of Philadelphia gave a luncheon not long ago and afterward missed a small gold mirror She immediately sent to each of the women who had been her guests a postal card, upon which was written "Dear Madam. A gold mirror was stolen from my dressing table yester-day Have you got it?" The mirror was returned but the owner never found out who took it.

A. R. De Fluent of the Journal shoulder and side. "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Palm. and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Palm has been a constant esimpanion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by all druggists.

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AN ORDINANCE

Establishing the Grade for West Elim Street, from West Street to Colo

Be it ordained by the Conneil of the City of

Be it ordained by the Conneil of the City of Idma as follows

Section 1. That the center line grade of west Elm street, from West street to Cole atreat be, and the same hereby is, established as follows: Commencing at the west side of West Street with an elevation of One Hundred and Twenty iwe (122), feet above the datum into the One Hundred and Twenty into the One American and Twenty five (123), feet above the datum has control of One Hundred and Seventy-siz (256), feet west of said west indeed and Twenty-siz (256), feet west of said west indeed and Twenty-siz (256), feet above datum at the east into of Proceed Street, thence west to an elevation of One Hundred and Truty-three and Sixty Hundredths (1336), feet at the west line of Proceed Street, thence west to an elevation of One Hundred and Truty-three and Sixty Hundredths (1336), feet at the west line of Proceed Street, thence west with a gradual as cont to an elevation of One Hundred and Twenty-one (121) feet above datum at the east line of Miclouel Street, thence west with a gradual as cont to an elevation of One Hundred and Proceed and Institute of Miclouel Street, thence west with a gradual ascent to an elevation of One Hundred and Privy live (35) feet west of said wast line of Miclouel street; thence west to an elevation of One Hundred and Proceed and Thirty-west of said wast line of Miclouel street; thence west to an elevation of One Hundred and Proceed and Thirty and Sixty Hundredths (135,60) feet above datum at the wast line of Miclouel street; thence west with a gradual descent to an elevation of One Hundred and Twenty-one west with a gradual descent to an elevation of One Hundred and Twenty and Sixty, Hundredths (13,60), feet above datum at the wast line of Microully elect althe elevation of One Hundred and Twenty Hundred and Twenty and Sixty Hundredths (13,60) is stored the said street is now platted in the Faurot Addition), thence west with a gradual descent to an elevation of One Hundred and Twenty and Sixty Hundred and Twenty and Sixty Hundred

AN ORDINANCE

To a comparison of the public Alley Leading from Reese Avanue West, Along the South Line of Inlot No 2089.

Whereas, on the 10th day of December 1500, a comparison of the public alley leading from Reese avanue of the control of the public alley leading from the control of the public alley leading from Reese avanue of the public

Sec. 2. That the curb grade (that is the top line of the curb) of vaid street be and the same hereby is, established at one tenth of one (1) from below the center line grade of said street as established in Sec. 1, and that the crown of the street of riell from the center to the grater; shall be at the rate of one tenth of one [1] foot fall for each three of one tenth of one [1] foot fall for each three [3] feet measure i from the center line of said street.

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Thomas Kentile, plaintill, a chimical the partitle plaintill, and the count of counter of said street from the partitle plaintill, and the country of the count house is fall for each three [3] feet measure i from the center line of said street.

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Sec 3 That this ordinance shall take effect end be in force from and after its due pub-Passed Merch 19th, 1900. J. W. ROWLANDS.

President of the Council. C E. LYNCH, City Clerk.

LEGAL NOTICE.

THE STACE OF OUIO, ALLEN COLNTY, 58

The Independity Savings & Loop) Pinirtiff, Benry C Settlage Louisa Sett-lage, John W Moore George Pipher, and A. Pelletter Defendants.

Defendants.)

Nor ice is hereby given to A. Pelletier, of Lagington, Mason county, Michigan, and to look W. Moore, of Milan, Righes requiry. Indiana that they have mean such by The Lagington Pleas Control of Allentcounty. Only, to function a morigoge owned by said county of medicae a morigoge owned by said county from the common pleas Control of Allentcounty. Only, the control of the particular of and for other reflect the object and praces of a left settion is tig to have said property sold and subjected to the payment of the plaintiff's caim, secured by said monitored, amount of which cloder is clight hundred and inparymina dollars and thirty nine cents (\$50.30), with interest and triping of fendants, Pelletier and Moore, are required to mawer said petition on Saturday, the 2ith day of Mirch. 1800

LOPELAND & ROGERS, and DIGLEY, Rapwing & GOGWAN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

January 24 1996.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 1008. The South Side B. & L. Assn. Plaintiff Atlen Com-

By virtue of an order of sula, issued from the Court of Cammon Pluss, of Allen

The some be invisituation confices of period what he and High streets and

Between the hours of one o'clock and for o'clock p in the following destrict in and torements situated in the city of the Allen county state of Onio and describe as follows, to wit:

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Situated in the city of Lima and disc.
Obio to-wit.—I u [19] fast of the south so
of in-lot number twenty two hundred sixty-four (2 286) and thirty (44) ket of
the north side of in-lot numb r twell yet
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The same being situated on the side of
south Elizabeth stree but the a kibby had
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Appraised at \$2.60 (6).

Terms of Sale—Cash.

l A ROGART Right (Like Alten County (Like Rebruari), 1801 Lima, Obio February v. 16th John H. Klatte printing attorned

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ex. Doc. 12 Robert E. Mooney. Plaintig Thomas Finety et al . Defendant

By virtue of an order of sale isstift from the court of common pleas, of then court the chief and to me directed. I will out to sale at the east door of the court user in the sale at the cast door of the court user in the sale at the cast door of the court user in the sale at the cast of the court user in the sale at the cast of the court user in the sale at the cast of the court user in the sale at the cast of the court user in the sale at the s Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on SATURDAY, MARCH II, A D 1909

lietween the hours of land to clock p.m. the following described lands and tenments, stunate in the city of Linus alies county, state of Ohio and described as follows, to wit:

The agest held of thick discuss (5) in the The east half of inlot fifty two (5) into original plat of the city of Limb in a county and state, save and except eight iteet off the west side there of. The same being situated on east Market street between Public Square and thick street, on the north side of Market street house No. 123

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Don't watch the weather, young man; you can't tell whether it will rain or not, and the worst of it is, it unfits you for other kinds of business. Whenever you see a man who can tell you all about the weak apots in his neighbors, you will find one who needs

All the original thoughts have been uttered in the simplest words. When I read an abstruce sentence, I say, this writer has been stealing, and is trying

as much watching as an east wind

to hide. There is nothing so scarce as good nonsense. You may find a hundred owls who can sit on a dry limb, look wise, say nothing, and be respectable to one monkey who can play the fool and do justice to the subject and himself, too.

I had granulated lids for twenty venus. I tried many doctors and lots of medicine to no avail. A skim had grown over my eyes, and they grew worse until I could not recognize one across the street. Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve cured me sound and well in ten days. Mrs. W. C. Woodall, Murfreesboro, Tenn. T. N. Cunningham, 136 north Main street.

Progressive Voting.

Belgium is about to laaugurate an electoral system that puts a premium upon thrift and marriage. Under this new plan every man who is 21 years old and pays 31 a year in taxes, is entitled to vote one vote; if he is 25 years old and married, he will have two votes; and if he owns real estate or government bonds or savings bank deposits producing an income of \$20 a year, he will have three votes.

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Triumph of Engineering.

One of the latest friumphs in the engineering world consists in the construction, shipment by steamer, and subsequent transfer to railway transportation of a steamer of 4,200 tons affoat in Lake Balkal, Siberla, not less than 5,000 miles from St. Petersburg.

Going Down Hill.

People suffering from kidney diseases teel a gradual but steady loss of vitality. They should lose no time in trying Foley's Kidney Cure. It is guaranteed. H. F. Vortakmp, Cor. Main and North Streets.

A Mysterious Box.

On his death, in 1834, Mr. Francis Douce, an antiquary of some renown, bequeathed to the authorities of the Nursery Stock of all kinds. Fruit British Museum, a scaled box, which and Ornamental Trees. Flowers, etc. was not to be opened until January : We guarantee all stock for 3 years. 1900. The authorities, acting under drop us a card and we will call for these instructions, have now opened the box, and found it contained a number of manuscripts, the character of which will, however, only be disclosed in a report to be presented later to the

> TOO many people lose valuable time in experimenting with cough and cold cures. They should take Foley's Honey and Tar before it is too LATE. H. F. Vertkamp, Cor. of Main and North streets.

Conlin't Live Without Birds. A French naturalist asserts that if the world should become birdless man would not inhabit it after nine years, in spite of all the sprays and poisons that could be manufactured for the destruction of insects. The bugs and slugs would simply eat up our orchards and crops.

What's Your Face Worth?

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That the majority of serious diseases originate in disorder of the kidneys. Foley's Kidney Cure is guaranteed. Try it today if you're not feeling well. H. H. Vortkamp, Cor. Main and North streets.

Sullen People.

Some people are never comfortable unless they are making others uncomfortable. They do not burst out in electric flashes of wrath and thunder storms of passion, but keep up an incessent drizzle of sullenness. They chill all their associates, and dampen their spirits, and keep on doing so day after day, without the relief of an exial sunshine that follows a storm.

Cure a Cold in One Night

Take Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. It clears the throat, soothes the bron chials and exhilarates the lungs. 25c at all good druggists. No cure no displacement, which was finally put pay .- T. N. Cunningham, 136 north Main street.

> Que Vadle Church in Rome. There is a church in Rome called the Domine Quo Vadis. The tradition runs that St. Peter, in fleeing from the holy city, was here met by the Savior and cried out, "Lord, whither goest thou?" or "Domine, Quo Vadis?" The reply was that Christ was going to Rome to be crucified afresh. Peter turned back, and the church was built on the

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Cider Bottled in 1850.

Mr. Warren Rowley of No. 41 Windsor avenue, who is one of the most widely known of the older residents of the North end, passed the 32d milestone on life's journey on Tuesday. During the evening members of his family and friends met with him, and as a reminder of old days he brought out one of three bottles of cider which he bottled himself in the year 1850. He remembered the incident well, and that the cider came from Mr. Gurdon's place in the Blue Hills section. With all its years it was very palatable, not at all "hard," and having an odor faintly but distinctly that of ciderbrandy.—Hartford Times.

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MURDERER OF GOEBEL A MULATTO.

Latter is Now Supposed to Be in the Wilds of One of the Blountain Countles-The Situation in Kentucky.

Louisville, Ky., March 21. - The stories growing out of the conference between Sergeant F. Wharton Golden of the Barbourville company of state militia and the attorneys who are managing the investigation of the assassination of Governor Goebel, have caused a sensation throughout the state. Golden will be placed on the stand by the prosecution in the trial of the persons already arrested for alleged complicity in the assassination, but information as to the exact nature of the testimony he is asked to give is lacking. The story is published that Golden

has divulged to the attorneys the name killed Governor Goebel. The person mentioned is a mulatto, who formerly lived at Winchester, was prominent in known as a dead shot. This man is shall be for the "aid and relief" of now supposed to be in the wilds of one of the mountain counties. Evidence that he was in Frankfort at the time of the assassination was found among papers taken from W. H. Culton, a clerk in the auditor's office, when the latter was arrested a week or so ago on a warrant charging him with being an accessory to the murder. Among these papers were receipts for board bills amounting to about \$300, incurred by 18 men who were in Frankfort for some time before and at the time Governor Goebel was shot. In one of these receipts the name of the mulatto mentioned is given. The receipt in this case is for money received from John Perkins by Bettina Pittman for the board of three men. Perkins is a porter about the state house.

A Doctor's Deposition.

Louisville, Ky., March 21.-The deposition of Dr. J. N. McCormack of the state board of health was taken concerning points raised in the pending case before the court of appeals in the contest for governorship. Dr. McCormack was in close attendance upon the late Governor Goebel from the time he was shot on January 31 until his death on February 3. He testified that he was present both times the swearing in of the dying man as governor was gone through. The various stories that have been printed in this connection give interest to a statement of Dr. McCormack that he had examined Governor Goebel's wound and believed the fatal shot came from the front.

Golden's Movements.

Lexington, Ky., March 21.-Sergeant F. Wharton Golden, the man alleged to have made incriminating statements in the Goebel murder, arrived here in company with his attorney, Smith Hayes. They came from Winchester. Many rumors are flying. One is that he is trying to get away from Goebel influences, but he is closely watched. It is improbable that he has given them the slip. Another rumor is that

Judge Field's Decision.

Louisville, Ky., March 21.-Judge Field sustained the demurrer of counsel for Governor Beckham and granted the motion to strike out certain parts of the amended reply of the Republicans in the consolidated gubernatorial contest suits. With this went a judgment, signed by Judge Field, in conformity with this decision and the former one, sustaining the first demurrer and motion to strike out. This judgment is interlocutory not final.

General Wallace's Charge.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 21.-General Lew Wallace wrote an open letter charging that the administration is aitempting to make colonies of Porto Rico and the Philippines to be governed by the president as a colonial empire. General Wallace proposes a constitutional amendment forbidding insdiction or sovereignty over any island, territory or country, now foreign, except with the consent of the people of the United States first had.

Broker Soaked. Chicago, March 21.—Richard Oliver pleaded guilty in the United States district court to the charge of having used the mails to defraud country people by means of a so-called "get-richquick" scheme. Judge Kohlsaat imposed a fine of \$1,000 and ordered the defendant to refund money amounting to nearly \$5,000, which he has received from his victims.

Anti-Boxing Bill Doomed. Albany, N. Y., March 21.-It looks as though the Lewis bill, repealing

the Horton act allowing boxing and sparring, will be defeated. A caucus of Republican senators decided to make a party measure of the bill, but at least one more vote is needed to pass it. Senator Coggeshall bolted the caucus and will not abide by its de-

Futal Mistake.

Wooster, O., March 21,-Mrs. Samuel Shoamaker, 70, died from burns received from a can of benzine exploding in her hands. The fire in the grate was not burning as briskly as she wished, and, mistaking the benzine for coal oil, poured it over the are.

SWEPT BY FIRE.

stroyed-Unfortunate Crushed. Red Lodge, Mont, March 21 -Fire destroyed Hail's general store, the building of the Red Lodge Improve ment company, containing three stores on the ground floor, and the offices of the Red Lodge Picket and Carbon County Democrat and the "Business Men's club." besides a number of other offices on the second floor; also Free man's new brick block, with its large stock of dry goods and clothing. John Davis, a farmer from Roberts, was caught by a falling stair and burned to

death. The total loss is about \$200,000 Reached an Agreement.

Washington, March 21 .- The con ferees on the Porto Rican relief bill have agreed upon a compromise meas ure. The senate conferces receded from the cenate amendment limiting the appropriation to the revenue collected on Porto Rican Importations until the first of last January, and restored the clause in the house bill applying to future revenues, reading as follows: "Together with any further customs revenue collected on importa tions from Porto Rico since January 1 1900, or that shall hereafter be collected of the man who fired the shots that under existing law." The provision in the senate amendment specifying the purpose for which the money shall be used is retained, but an addition the French-Eversolo feud, and is is made declaring specifically that it the Porto Ricans.

Day of Debate. Washington, March 21.-Discussion of the Porto Rico government and fariff bill was resumed in the senate Mr. Morgan of Alabama presenting a speech dealing with some of the constitutional phases of the measure. He maintained that as the treaty of Paris was the supreme law of the land, it was impossible for the United States to ahanden either Porto Rico or the Philippines. He held, also, that the constitution extended to a certain extent at least, over the acquired territory and that the inhabitants of Porto Rico were citizens of the United

Threatened Schism In Cuba. Havana, March 21.-General Maximo Gomez has addressed a letter to the committee, which recently waited upon the bishop of Havana, Monsignor Sharretti, to present a protest against his continuance in the bishopric. In the course of the letter, he says the committee ought not to have called upon the bishop, but should have summoned bim before them to hear the result of "his own obstinacy and that of the pope." General Comez goes on to say: "The pope and Monsigner Sharretti will be responsible for the schism which will be produced in Cuba."

Candler on Trusts.

Atlanta, Ga., March 21.-Governor Candler appeared before the sub-committee of the industrial commission, which is taking testimony here. The governor was called to testify in the investigation of trusts. Governor Candler said that trusts raised prices and make millionaires and paupers. "They build up the two extremes of society at the expense of the great middle class, so necessary to the prospority of the country," said the gov-

A Bloodless Battle.

Kausas City, Mo., March 21.-A dozen shots were exchanged and a lively sprinting match occurred when three Republican canvassers attempted to investigate alleged fraudulent reg-Istration from the rooming house above Election Judge John Prvor's sa loon. Pryor resented the request for information and opened fire, chasing his callers into the street, where a fusillade of 10 minutes' duration ensued

No blood was spilled.

Micneseta Prohibitionists. Minneupolis, Minn., March 21.-The state convention of the Prohibition party was called to order here and there is a big attendance from all parts of the state. Three sessions were held preliminary to the work of nominating a ticket. Indications point to the solection of Professor Charles Scanlon of McAlester as the nominee for governor with a strong rival in J. A. Mc Connell, Fergus Falls.

Aged Woman Sentenced. Indianapolis, Ind., March 21 .- Mary Ann Anderson, 86, who was recently convicted in Bloomfield of abetting the murder of her feeble-minded daughter about 9 years old, was presented in the woman's prison here to serve a life term. The crime was recently discov ered and a son-in-law was also convicted and sentenced to imprisonment

New Army Officers.

Washington, March 21 .- The house committee on military affairs made a report on the bill creating an additional assistant commissary general of subsistence, with the rank of lieutenant colonel, and five additional commissaries of subsistence, with the rank of

Strikers Lost.

Muncie, ind., March 21.-Two hundred striking carpenters returned to work at the old wage scale. The men demanded two cents increase on 25 1-2 cents per hour and have been out three weeks.

Turf Winners. At New Orleans - Frangible, Plaintain, Fred Hanlon, Era Rice, Sister Fox, Agi-

tator. At San Francisco-Eonic, Rosalbra, Chi-mura, Afghan, Scotch Pinid, Joe McGee.

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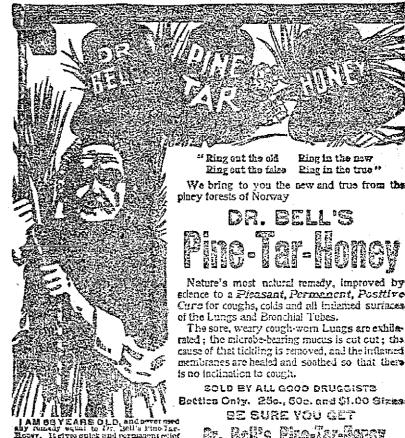
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The Democrats of the 4th congres sional district of Ohio, will meet in convention at Sidney, Ohio, Wednesday, March 28th, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m for placing in nomination candidate for congress from said 4th congressional district, and one presidential elector to be voted for at the general election, November 6, 1900; and also selecting two delegates and two alternates to the Democratic national winds. Braver men never stood in the convention, to be haid at Kansas City, pass of Thermopyle. Truer patriots "July 4th, 1900.

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Mr. McKinley In the Role of Weathercock.

AMAZING CHANGE OF FRONT.

Caused the Passage of the Porto Rican Tarifi Bill.

A MALIGN INFLUENCE AT WORK.

Bean Congresamen - Claim That Congress Possesses Power of British Parliament-Bolliver Whooped It Up For the imperialists-Bailey's Masterly Argument.

[Special Washington Letter.] Amazing things are happening in this Capital City. In his December message to congress President McKinley used this emphatic language, declaring unequivocally in favor of free trade with Porte Rice:

"The markets of the United States should be opened up to her products. Our plain duty is to abolish all customs tarifi's between the United States and Porto Rico and give her products free access to our markets.'

Now, it must be taken for granted that that was a well considered opinion, and that it was a proposition on which he proposed that the Republican party should stand and on which be himself would stand.

Nevertheless it is an open secret that it was Mr. McKinley's personal and ofticial influence which caused the passage of the amended Payne Porto Rican tariff bill by the closest squeeze. The president changed his base, but for some unaccountable reason did not communicate his reasons for the change in the constitutional manner, but by buttonholing and importuning members in private. People will want to know why he changed. Don't you know?

A Malign Influence. The Washington Post, independent, in commenting on the above paragraph

by the president says: "If it was our plain duty three months ago to give to the products of Porto Rico free access to our markets, it is our plain duty today. The president summarized the ethics of the situation. Our obligation has been in nowise lessened since the message

"What malign influence has intervened to bailie the president's rightons and original intent we do not care to conjecture. Of course, it is notorious that certain domestic industries supposed to be of greater or less political importance have, through their various organizations, imporruned congress to withhold nitogether or at least to modify Mr. McKinley's soleriniy announced programme. Those organizations are afraid, or pretend to be afraid, of the sugar, tobacco and fruit products of the little island. without the smallest perceptible disturbance of our domestic equilibrium or the most infinitesimal effect upon the markets. It is a little island, an island of great fertility, to be sure; but its aggregate output would not agitate Philadelphia and Chicago alone, to say nothing of the rest of this vast country. And Porto Rico might easily thrive and prosper and develop without barming the very greedlest and most selfish of our organized commercial interests.

"President McKinley, in his message, spoke for the honor, the loyalty and the righteousness of the American people, and the members of the majority in congress who, in spite of the parry whip, are supporting the president's position have exhibited a courageous altruism and a noble Christianity which entitle them to the reveronce of the American people. They have stood for the right, for justice and fair dealing, and have thrown all thought of sellsh advantage to the

never invited martyrdom." If anything more caustic than that has been written since the days of Junius. I have failed to see it. I advise stump speakers who read these letters to cut it out and paste it in their hats for future reference and use. It is good ammunition, sure as you live.

Powers of Congress. The debate on the Porto Rican bill ought to open the eyes of all lovers of iberty in America without regard to political utilitations as to the settled purpose of the Republican leaders to set at naught and disregard the constitution of the United States.

Over and over again Republican concressmen asserted that congress posserves all the powers of the British parilament. Let's see if that is true. What power has congress? Just what the constitution gives it and not one whit more. What is congress? The creature of the constitution. Is the ereature greater than the creator? Who will have the gall to affirm a propoeffect that is what they do assert when they declare that the American congress possesses all the powers of the British parliament. What power does parliament possess? Supreme power.

iblig. There never was. Parliament our present reseast character and a he a much right to abolish the mont bindrance to expansion shall be igarchy tomorrow as it has to pass a nored and allowed to become a dead revenue bill. Has congress the nu- letter or whether the problem shall be thority to abolish the republic? Who dealt with more directly by a reconwill so assert in so many words? Yet struction of the constitution to suit it Messes. Hopkins et al., Republican to the changes that have come about congressmen, leaders in congress, bold- during its honored existence of more ly assert that congress is endowed than a hundred years. with the same powers as the British

lutionary war for? Were we simply swopping masters? Exchanging par- the inevitable result of trying to overllament for congress? Trading a devil for a witch? Congress has the same ing or by new and strained interpretapowers as the British parliament, has tion of things which conflict with presit? How does it happen then that ent and future policies will be the decourts in this country declare acts of velopment into a condition of having congress anconstitutional sometimesespecially in the income tax cases? Where is the court to declare an act or parliament unconstitutional? Nowhere. It can't be done. It is impossible, for there is no British constitue if we are to retain a written constitution to be violated. But the iteration and reiteration of the proposition that congress possesses the unlimited power of the British parliament ought to wake the people up, if they either intend or hope to preserve the remnants of their liberties. Dalgeli's Broad Claim.

Mr. Dalzell of Pennsylvania declared in his speech that congress could estab lish a tariff against New Mexico and at the same time let in the products of Arizona free, in face of the constitutional provision that all taxes and im-

that the constitution authorizes any

such performance as Mr. Dalzell declared possible: General Grosvenor, who has the courage of his convictions—indeed hold on to the Philippines is to get all the money out of them we can. And

yet we are told that this Philippine war is waged to spread Christian civilization! A sermon or two by General Gresvener would knock the bettom our of that self evident lie. By a strange concatenation of events we go partners with Mohammedans, slave drivers and polygamists in the Philippines-indeed carry them on our pay rolls-and go on killing Christians over there-a strange method of spreading Christian civiliza-

A Remarkable Statement.

tion, surely.

To show the feeling of the big inout apology for its length, a most re-Star, a prosperous Republican paper. in a constitutional government have the shivers. The Star says:

"The Idea of a national constitutional convention is getting a hold upon the men in public life. The thought is merely suggestive as yet, and has not been resolved into a definite purpose but there is a growing feeling that we have reached a stage in our history timid whisper under the breath, but it where it begins to be a serious problis occupying the minds of a good many, lem whether the constitution must be and it is likely to develop into a public reconstructed or reconstrued. The agitation of the question within a comfeeling is very common in and out of paratively short time." congress that this nation is like a big boy in short pants which will give way Star is. It is a great newspaper pubat every seam if a new pair of troat lished at the seat of the government. Everybody knows that, were Porto sers are not soon provided. Almost It is said to be a money maker. It has Rico cultivated to its utmost capacity, every important development in our a very large circulation for so small and were its entire harvest shipped to national growth supported by a consider a city. It is read by nearly every pub-New York, daty free, within two erable element active in public affairs lie man in Washington. It would not is felt to be a strain of the constitution. more than ever before during the present generation of political doctors the house politician would not be worthy constitution has been raised across the path of progress along the lines of de- in a great daily paper of the dominant relopment seemingly most popular. and men who believe thoroughly in the they must furnish food for thought new policies and have faith in the future world influence of the United States have been disturbed and caused to pender over the question of constitutional limitations. They have hesitated between veneration for this time honored instrument and a common He is the pride and giory of the Demo sense recognition of present conditions

> and future needs. The Present Tendency In Congress "There are few men in congress. tion. It is argued that if the framers and nothing more. of the constitution had any conception in which each of the states or colonies contributed a patch, and the doubts and anxiety of the time found expresonce stood out in glaring colors has now faded; time has reduced the whole febric to a common shade, but that shade is indistinct and gradually becoming colorless.

A Question of Method. now exist there appears little difference of opinion as to what the facts ere, and it is a question of method in dealing with the problem presented. Comparatively few men among the eition so utterly preposterous? Yet in class responsible for government today, in either the legislative or executive branch, and perhaps in the judictary, have much respect for the parrow restraints of the constitution. A No British monarch has dared to vato, right to be respected provokes outi bill passed by parliament since the breaks of impatience in every debate tags of William III, usually called the in congress. The only open question Prince of Orange. The British constitutions to be whether the restraints

"Those who are inclined to the idea parliament possesses. If that he true, of a reconstruction by a constitutional what the deuce did we have the Revo- convention at some time in the near inture are influenced by the belief that come difficulties by avoiding or ignoronly an unwritten constitution, as has Great Britain, the written instrument becoming obsolete, and that we will though not of record. They feel that tion the changes in it made necessary by new conditions should be made in writing in order to preserve stability of our institutions. Timidity which would cause some politicians to shrink from meeting the question frankly still admits of their ignoring a constitutional restriction which they have not the courage to remove.

A Danger Forescen.

"A danger foreseen from a system of irregular and informal revisions of the constitution 'by general consent' is that emotional and hastily formed pubports must be uniform. Does anybody lic sentiment, which can exist but for Democrat or Republican, outside of an hour, may be left without restraint congress or a lunatic asylum believe and constitutional construction become merely a matter of compliance with the demands of the hour.

"The Populists, with a certain theory of socialism, propose what they term a system of 'initiative and referendum' more courage than conviction-boldly for legislation, so that what shall declared that the purpose for which we be considered would be not the need and the wisdom of the law, but the momentary, unconsidered and possibly improperly secured expression of

opinion at the polls. "The 'initiative and referendum' method of constitutional construction might lead to disaster. It would certainly leave our system of government constantly in doubt. It would be dangerous allke to all classes. At one time the common people might be deprived of their liberties, at another the rich might be despoiled of their wealth. At all times subversion of government

would be possible. "Yet it is foreseen that this nation is juns among the Republicans touching not going to be forever held in restraint the constitution, I hereby quote, with by the defects of its constitution or its lack of adaptability to new conditions markable article from the Washington and that if these defects are not corrected in the fearless and proper way, It is enough to make those who believe through formal revision, a situation is likely to develop in the very near future where the constitution will be held in contempt and the only recognized constitution will be the demand of minds of some of the most thoughtful the hour coming from any class of people who for the time being are power-

ful enough to enforce their will. "As yet the suggestion of a national constitutional convention is made in a

Now, be it remembered what The Within the past 18 months not think that it pleased Republican leaders. Such words uttered by a poiof attention or of remark, but appearing party, in the shadow of the capitol,

The Pride of Democracy. Joseph W. Bailey of Texas closed the debate for the Democrats, and he made a constitutional argument worthy of the greatest constitutional lawyer in the best days of the supreme court. eratic party.

Jonathan P. Dolliver of Iown closed for the imperialists. He dealt in skyscraping rhetoric, steered clear of logic aside from those who are utterly indif and supreme court decisions, whooped ferent to anything except merely ten: up the boys as though making a stump porary policy, who do not agree that speech on the prairies of Iowa, tackled the present tendency is to break away Balley only once or twice and for so more and more from the restraints doing got a thump on the solar plexus which the constitution has been re- which neither he nor those who witgarded as putting upon the policies of nessed it are likely to forget to their government. This is justified upon the dying day. His speech was a fine disgrounds of necessity arising from the play of verbal pyrotechnics-worthy of growth and development of the na- a Fourth of July oration-merely that

It is with pleasure that I introduce of the nation to be built upon the foun- to the readers of these letters a young dation they laid the conditions exist- Democrat who is destined to a high ing at the time of the framing of the career if he lives, Hon. William Gorconstitution did not admit of its being don Brantley of Georgia. He succeed made broad enough to meet that na- ed Judge Turner, who was recognized tion's needs for all time. Not to speak as one of the strongest men of his day too irreverently of that great instru- in the house. My prediction is that ment, it was of necessity a patchwork Brantley will soon stand in the front rank among congressional speakers. His speech on the Porto Rican monstrosity was a musterplece of logic, hission in the color of the patches. What torical information and of eloquence. He not only occupies but fills the great

place held by Judge Turner. The substitute offered by Mr. McCall of Massachusetts in conformity with the president's message was lost by a vote of 173 to 150, a queer commen "In dealing with the conditions that tary on the occult influences which control this administration.

Mr. Richardson's motion to recommit was lost by a vote of 172 to 162. The bill as amended was carried by

a vote of 172 to 161. Powers of Vermont, Bromwell of Cincinnati and Tompkins of New York spoke against the bill and then voted

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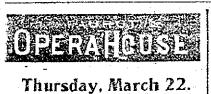
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New Castle
North Lima A little sick spell has made nothing

less than a poet out of Horace Mann. As a rule his appetite is ravenous, but this time it went back on him and one bed doughouts and galvanized cake, oysters that drown in a watery bath, butter as strong as Goliah of Gath, weary of paying for what I don't eat, chewing up rubber and calling it meat. Backward, turn backward, for weary I mothers jam; let me drink milk that has for a nice well. hever been trimmed, let me once more ready to lay down and die.

on the Grubb farm. At present she be offered. bitro-glycerine.

was instantly killed. He was married is just on his way home. and lived in Toledo.

on old friends in our city.

P. W. Reth, of Buffalo, is in the The Amanda Oil Co., cased their city looking over his oil interests. He Coon No. 3 yesterday. This is the at Carroll & Cooney's. is a member of the firm of Roth, Argue fourteenth well on this territory and

Robert Watt No. 4 yesterday and are their Mack No. 4 Spencer township. building a rig for No. 5.

territory.

Mr. Sherbondy, of the Deka Oil Co., is in the city looking over the ground. Mr. Sherbondy lives in Cleveland.

nice showing.

The German Oil Co. are building a rig for their Herman Trempert No. 4. They have finished a fishing job on 1.51 the Noah Sherrick that has been 1-26 bothering them for many weeks and 1.21 are today in the sand.

their Brentlinger No. 1 in Shawnee:

completely organized and ready for day while setting as he supposed all business. The officers are: Fresialone in his sanctum above the Oak dent, - Baker, a farmer of Jackson Buffet, Col. Sonntag stood near and township: vice president, Edward beard him say, "Backward, turn back- Sheridan; treasurer, John Szifried; ward, ch, time in thy flight; feed me, secretary, J. E. De Voe. The company feed me on gruel again just for tonight have 380 acres of laud in Jackson lam so weary of leathery steak, petri- township under lease and are at present preparing to do some operating.

> W. A. Carey is moving Ed. Britt's tools from the Whelston lease to the Coon south of Cridersville.

am; give me a whack at my grand- Cremean No. 2 today. She is showing

Chas. A. Fon, of Philadelphia; J. H. have an old fashioned pie, then I'll be Russell and M. J. Davis, of Marietta; It costs you nothing. A. L. Lourie, of Pittsburg, C. N. Mr. Boggs, of Pittsburg, Pa. leased Hough, of Williamsport, and H. N. 55 acres at Tiffin, Saturday, paying Arnold, of Chicago, are at the Lima \$2.500 bonus and one-sixth of all oil. house. These gentlemen are all inter-A Co-operative Oil Co., of Findlay, ested in oil and have their eyes wide Chic, have a well 150 feet in the sand open for any good bargain that may

shows gas only and they will go 100 Ed Maire left today for Sistersville feat further in before she gets the to start some wells on a block of territory they have near that city. Zach, Shufelt, a driller at Findlay, Lem Neeley was at the French

Zimmerman & Sunderland have a ness today. new venture in the sand on the Jap Cechran in Amanda township, and it looks for a good one. This is in new

Roth, Argue & Co. shot Youman No. 6 at Hume yesterday, and got a

Watt, Shappell & Co. are beginning

The South Lima Oil Co. is now

Maire Bros. are shooting their

never a dry hole.

Roth, Argue & Co. started their | The Logan Oil Co., have located S. S. Maple was in Celina on busi

OTHERSHAVE, HAVE YOU?

It costs you nothing.

THE NEWSON-DRAKIN BOND CO.

National Union.

will be held tonight in the Donze hall. especial election will be held to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation Pilis. 25 cents. of the financial secretary. By order of the president.

TORREY KIRK, Sec'y.

The largest stock of Taffeta Silks at Carroll & Cooney's.

Notice I, O. O. F.

All members of Lima Encampment No. 52 are requested to be at their hall tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 7 o'clock. There will be work in the Patriarchal degree. WM. WENDLER, C. P.

OTHERS HAVE, HAVE YOU?

Visit our store this week and get a chance at the rug we are giving away.

THE NEWSON-DEARIN BOND CO.

MAYORS COURT.

Dave and Joe Bruno Fined \$7.50 Each for Fighting.

Joe and Dave Bruno, charged with was caught in the buil wheel yester house last night. Mr. Neeley has fighting, were fined \$7.50 each in day while throwing on the rope and been up in Canada for a few days and mayor's court this morning. They Willis Miksell, of Chicago, is calling shipping their tools to Peru, Ind., toold friends in our city.

Todd, Koons & Bartholomew are

Frank Brown, colored, charged with
Stealing a buggy, pleaded not guilty
stealing a buggy, pleaded not guilty
and his case will be disposed of later.

ToR SALE—t bave a special intenting in the home on west Marker street (it sold in ten days); also have good nones for sale on monthly payments. S. P. Wilking, and his case will be disposed of later.

Black Taffeta Silks 590a yd

All tickets laid aside for Francis Wilson at Melville's, must be called for before noon on Thursday.

Visit our store this week and get a Of valor is discretion," and the better chance at the rug we are giving away. part of the treatment of disease is prevention. Disease originates in impur ities in the blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla purifies the blood. People who take it at this season say they are kept bealthy the year around. It is because An urgent session of Ottawa Council this medicine expels impurities and makes the blood rich and health-giving.

All liver ills are cured by Hood's

Largest line of Pillow Tops at Carroll & Cooney's.

STILL THEY GO.

W. D. Bressier, of 930 east High street, bought a fine Havard Piano in Mahogany, yesterday, from the old reliable, Porter & Son.

New Lace Curtains at Carroll & Cooney's.

Frame Building for Sale.

Sealed filds will be received until 12 clock noon of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28th, 1900.

for the old building now used and occupied by the South Side Fire Department.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

GE. LYNOH, City Glerk.

mar 21, 22, 27 and 28

WANTED.

WANTED-Good girl for general house work in small family. Good wages paid. Apply at once to Mrs. W. L. Parmen-ter, 863 west Market street.

FOR RENT—A five room house on west Wayne street. Enquire at 223 west Wayne. WANTED-An experienced girl for gen eral neusework. Inquire at 123 south Metcalf street.

OUR SUCCESS WITH THE DRESS NOTICE. GOODS DEPAREMENT

is not wholly due to the low prices at which we sell these goods. but to the vast variety and excellent quality of every yard we sell as an examination of the following will show:

Black Goods.

Black brocaded dress goods 40 in wide at 25c a 7d. Another lot of sigured goods, heavier than the above, 36 inches wide, 35c a yard, Black Brilliantine, good quality, 40 inches wide,

50c a yard. 48 inch black Clayett; a very servicable material, 85c a yard.

Soc a yard.
A very fine quality "Gold Medal" black serge 44 inches wide at 75c a yard.
A 42 inch black Satin Soleit at 89c a yard.
A 50 inch black Thibet Serge at \$1.25 a yard.

Colored Goods.

A 52 inch Camel's Hair in a beautiful shade of gray, per yard \$1.00.

A 50 inch gray Home Spun at 75c per yard. A 44 inch blue Cheviot, warranted not to shrink or spot, at 75c per yard.

A 36 inch all wool gray Cheviot at 50c a yard. A large assortment of 38 inch all wool Serges and Henriettas, at 50c a yard.

All wool French Flannels 27 inches wide at 50c a

A choice line of Plaids at 12 1-2, 25, 50, 75, 85c,

otton Wash Goods.

The filmy, fluffy, dainty cotton beauties are tumbling in day by day, adding their grace and charm to the collection.

They are tumbling out too, foresighted folks are y are tumbling out too, foresighted folks are buying them eagerly. A word about some

Silk Foulards -- not silk but has a silky finish-25 inches wide, beautiful patterns, 121-2c a yo.

Corded Taffeta 30 inches wide 18c a yard. Tolle Du Nord Ginghams, beautiful patterns, 10c

a yard. Chambras, all colors, fine quality, 121-2c a yard. A lot of choice dress ginghams at 8c a yard.

One case cotton Coverts in all the popular spring colors at 12 1-2c a vard.

Ladies' Wrappers.

If you once try our wrappers you will want no other make for these are well made and fit perfectly. New spring stock now in.

FELTZ BROS.

LA SER LA CONTRACTOR DE LA CONTRACTOR DE

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. Good wages paid. Enquire at once at 60 west Market street.

1-7 ELP WANTED, MALE-Manager for branch, this section, by old established house. Salary \$100 month, expenses. Must furnish \$500 and be well recommended. Manager, drawer 28, New Haven, Conn mch-2t-apl-4-may-2

WANTED-Men-We are now ready to furnish the greatest chira made. Test made at the litina Dairy Co. Will furnish territory and sell the churn or sell territory exclusive for your own use.

LIMA DAIRY CO.
Manager, Col. ROBERT MELL.
Hotel Fauret, Lima, G.

WANTED-Girl for general housework in small family. Call at once at J. E. Bogart's, Camerth Park avenue. 5-3t

VV paid for all kings of gent's second-hand clothing. No. 100 east Wayne street, to apr l WANTED-Girl for general house work Buguire at 705 south Main street. " is

WANTED Clothing. Highest cash price

Mayor's Proclamation.

In compliance with the requirements of the laws of the State of Chio, I, H.S. Prophet, Mayor of the State of Chio, I, H.S. Prophet, Mayor of the State of Lima, Chiobereay notify the qualified voiers of each dunicipal Cororation. that on the Secondary of April 1800, between the hours of 5.3 a.m. and 6.30 o'clock p.m. at the various voting places within said corporation, an election will be held for the purpose of choosing the following efficers for said corporation, to-wit: the Mayor

One Mayor. One City Solicitor,

One Surveyor, One Water Works Trustee, Long Term, One Water Works Trustee, Short Term, One Street Commissioner,

One Constable, One Member of Council from each Ward. One Member of the Board of Education can each Ward.

One Assessor from each Ward. Given under my hand and official seal, at my office in said corporation, this with day of Murch, 1976. H. S. PROPHET, of Murch, 1916.

Notice of Election.

The electors of the City of Lima are hereby notified that in pursuance of a resolution for and purpose, adopted by the Council of said City on the 6th day of March, 1903, the question of Issuing bonds of said city in the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, 1850,000 00, for the purpose of enlarging, extending and improving the Water Works system of the tity, will be submitted to them for decision as the general election to be hald in said City on the second day of April, 1903, for the purpose of electing municipal officers.

Those destring to vote in favor of said. Those destring in the proposed of setting from the first of said proposition, shall baye written or printed on their bullots the words, "For the Issue of Bonds." and those destring to vote against the proposition, shall have written or printed on their bullots the words." Against the Issue of Bonds."

Dated this 17th day of March, 1900. mcb-11-sst-mon-tu-2w Off- Ci-

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Wrote a Larger Amount of Insurance Than Any Other Life insurance Company in the World.

Twenty-Fourth Annual Statement January 1, 1900.

ASSETS. Bonds and Mortgages......\$11,638,754 18 Real Estate 4,731,683 32 Railroad Bonds, (Market Value) 9,650,237 50 Municipal Bonds, (Market Value) 3,198,482 80 U. S. Gov't Bonds, (Market Value) 115,000 00

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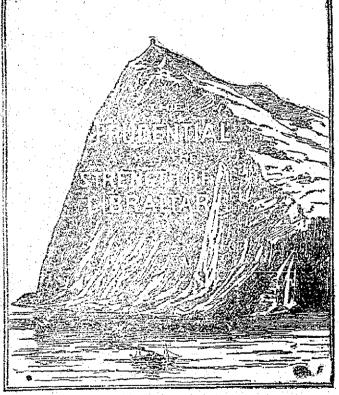
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Surplus Increased to over	20,580,000,00
Income Increased to over	6,250,000,00
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Paid Policy Holders to date over	42,700,000 00

Policies in Force 3,500,000.

INSURANCE IN FORCE INCREASED TO OVER

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Which is a Larger amount than that carried by any other Life Insurance Company confining its operations to the United States.



OFFICERS.

JOHN F. DRYDEN, President LESLIE D. WARD, Vice President. EDGAR B. WARD, 2nd V. P. and Counsel. FORREST F. DRYDEN, Secretary. HORACE ALLING, Treasurer. WILBUR S. JOHNSON- Cashier. JACOB E. WARD, Assistant Counsel. EDWARD H. HAMILL, | Medical Directors. JOHN K. GORE, Actuary. EDWARD GRAY, Assistant Secretary. F. H. JOHNSTON, Assistant Actuary. FREDERIC A. BOYLE, Assistant Cashier. GEORGE B. SPEER, Sup't S. O. Agencies. T. C. E. BLANCHARD, Sup't of Real Estate. W. P. WATSON, Assistant Medical Director.

VALENTINE RIKER, | Supervisors. LESLIE P. WARD, | F. C. BLANCHARD, Supervisor Loan Dep't.

THE PROBENTIAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA,

Home Office.

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Newark, N. J.

Branch offices in Lima, Ohio.

- A. D. Hildreth Sup't., 16 and 17 Opera House Block, northwest corner Main and High streets, Lima, Ohio.
- L. J. Halter, Ass't. Sup't., 311 Chinton Street, Defiance, Ohio. C. Malien, Ass't. Sup't., 34, 35 and 37 Marvin Block, Findlay. Ohio.
- B. F. Friend, Ass't Sup't., Wendeln Block, Spring Street, St. Marys, Ohio.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an alias order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Alien County, Chio, and to me directed, I will offer for sele as the east door of the court in Lama, Alien County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 21st, 1900,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and thements, situate in the City of Lina, then County, State of Obio, and described follows, to wit:

The same being situated on the south side feast North street, between shawnee and

Terms of Saie: Cash. E. A. Bogart. Sheriff. Allen County, Ohlo. Lims, Ohio, March 20th. 1900. J. C. Ridenour, plaintiff's attorney. mar 21 wath 5wks

PERSONALS.

Gen. J. C. Bates is one of the few officers who speak the Filipino dialect

Henry Clews, the New York banker, finds his best recreation in working out difficult chess problems.

Lord Kitchener has purchased an island in the Nile, which he will start with plants and trees, preparatory to building a villa.

The Austrian emperor's crown, which is regarded as one of the finest works of European goldsmiths, contains over \$500,000 worth of material.

The Rev. D. Cox, F. S. A., the English clergyman who aroused criticsm because he forwarded a donation to the Amsierdam Dutch committee for the Boer sick and wounded, has subscribed liberally to the British soldiers' relief fund, and composed a special hymn on behalf of British soldlers to be sung in English churches.

SHAKE INTO YOUR SHOES

Allen's Foot-Erse, a powder for the feet, it cures painful, swellen, smarting, nervous feet, instantly takes the sting out of verus and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Allen's Foot-Fasemakes tight or new shoes feet easy. It is a certain cure for sweating, callous and hot, tired aching feet. Try it today. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores. By mail 30 cents in gists and shoe stores. By mail 30 cents in stamps. Trial mackage FREE. Address. Allen S. Climsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR.

Never count your chickens till you're dead sure they're not goese.

No man who isn't married can appreciate what "the white man's bur-

A mistake is never much more than half a mistake till your are fool enough

The average woman has a lot of muslin night gowns for her bushand and one pink silk one with lace on it that she wears when she goes away to stay all night with some other woman.

since we began using Chamberlain,s Cough Remedy in our home. We keep a bottle open all the time and whenever any of my family or massis. whenever any of my family or myself begin to catch cold we begin to use the Congh Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a dector and incur a large doctor blil, for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to enre. It is certianly a medicine of great merit and worth. ID. S. Stearkle, General Merchant and Farmer, Mattie, Bedford county, Pa. For sale by all druggists.

Corn Shipping Ports.

New York has dropped from first to second place in the shipment of corn abroad, Baltimore standing first with exportation of 46,000,000 bushels in 1893. Philadelphia takes third place, with New Orleans fourth. In the exportation of cercals the gulf ports have made great gains of late years. In wheat exportation New York is still first, but the shipments are declining. while Galveston, Texas, is second, with shipments rapidly increasing.

It is very hard to stand by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with the croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his

return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying that the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr Otto scholz, says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by all



SHERIFF'S SALE.

(in Partition)

Hoffner & Gauch, a part-) Before F. E. Duf-nership, doing business [field, J. P., Ottawa in Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff Township, Allen vs. | County, Ohio.

Charles Mauck.
Defendant.

Charles Mauck.
Defendant.

Defendant. On the first day of March, A. D., 1800, and justice of the panes issued an order of attachment to the above action, for the sum of eleven doilors and niner, five coats.

HEFFINER & GARCH.

Lima_Ohio, March 3rd, 1980.

Legal Notice.

Willis Copeland, whose place of residence is unknown will take notice that on the 25th day of February, 19es, the plaintiff, Mattle Copeland that her petition, case number 1.581 in the Probate Court of Allen County, Ohio, praying for divorce from said on the grounds of with absence and that said cause will be for hearing on and after the 1th day of April, 1985. Fause will be for hearing on and after the 5th day of April, 1989.

MATTLE COPPLAND,
By John H. Klatte, Flainting Attorney.

Chestean E. Will, Plaintiff.

Alice Hill, Defendant. to talk about it.

The woman who can put on her shees without sitting down on the floor is about as rare as the man who doesn't hang up his necktie on the gas fixture.

The average woman has a lot of

CHESTEEN E. HILL. Motter & Mackenzie his attorneys.

Notice of Appointment.

MARTHA E WATE. vo-sw.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

acob Stump et.al., pefendant.

By virtue of an alias order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, 21ST DAY OF APRIL, 1900.

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, studie in the city of Lima, Allen county, State of Ohio, and described at follows, to-wit: In lot number one (bousend three hundred and forty-one (1941) in Standiford's addition to the city of Linn, Ohlo. The same being situate near the corner of Wayne and Shawnee streets.

Appraised at \$150.00. Terms of sale: Cash.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Allen Mary Rost et al., Defendant.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court borstain farm Allen County, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, APRIL 2181, 1900.

Between the hours of one o'clock and four yelock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lims, allen County, State of Chio, and described ns follows, to wit:
Inlow number (1886) in Standiford's addition to the City of Linn. Onto.
The same being situated on the north side of cast North street, between Shawnee and Perry streets.
Appraised at \$200.60.
Terms of Salv: Ossb. R. A. Bonary.

Shoriff, Allen County, Ohio. Line, Ohio, an chatt. 1900. J. C. Ridenour, praintiff's attorney, mar 21 wath-5wks

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Eng Twee and Catarra. One of
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Notice to Sewer Contractors.

Case No. 10169.

Ex. Doc. V.

Sherman Eurdeu, plaintiff, vs Sabra Furlong, et al defendants. Allen Common Pleus.

By virtue of a writ of Sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleus.

By virtue of a writ of Sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleus.

By virtue of a writ of Sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleus, ol Allen county. Onio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lima, Allen county, Onio, on

SATURDAY. THE ITTH DAY OF MARCH,

A. D., 1920,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situate in Jickson township. Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being the east half (%) of the west half (%4) of the south-west quarter (%4) of section the center line of Brice avenue to the center line of Brice avenue to the center inte of Charles street; thence east on the center line of Brice avenue to the center of Charles street; thence there in the center of Charles street; thence can to the center line of Brice avenue to the center of Charles street; thence there is the center of the center line of Brice avenue.

ship. Allen county, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Being the east half (8) of the west half (6) of the south-west quarter (3) of section number twelve (12), township three (3) south, range (8) east, containing forty (60) earse of land more or less.

Terms of Bales—One-third cash on the day of sale, one-third in one year and one-third in two years thereafter, with interest from dark of sale; such deferred payment to be eavidenced by promissary notes of the purchaser paychie to parties and secured by mortgage upon the premises fold.

Appraised at \$120,00.

E. A. BOGART.

Shelf, Allen Coanty, obio.

Lima, Ohio, February 12, 100.

T. R. HAMILTON, Flaintiff's Atterney.

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Estate of William M. Bell, deceased. The understand of Allen County, Ohio, Secured has been appointed and qualified as executor of the extate of William Rell, late of Allen County, Ohio, County, Ohio, Secured this Srd day of March, A. D. 180.

ATT ACHMENT NOTICE.

Hefmer & Gauch, a part-1 Before F. E. Dufnership, doing business [field, J. P., Oltawa in Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff [Township], Allen nership, doing business [field, J. P., Oltawa in Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff [Township], Allen nership, doing business [field, J. P., Oltawa in Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff [Township], Allen errer fine of Theoretic and the center of Second street with the present askins aware, and from nership, doing business [field, J. P., Oltawa in Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff [Township], Allen errer fine of Mean street; thence south on the center line of Siling were a wearned to the center of Second street in the of Chemics were and from nership, doing business [field, J. P., Oltawa in Lima, Ohio, Plaintiff [Township], Allen errer fine of Mean street; thence south on the center line of Siling were a wearned to the center of Second street in the of Chemics were and to the center of Second street to the center of the center of Second street in the of Chemics were and to the center line of Chemics were a second to the center line of Chemics were a

to a transfer avaite evaluation; memor morth on the center line of Atlantic avenue extended to the center line of Paul street; themes on the center line of Paul street; thence on the center line of Material street; theme morth on the center line of Material street; theme of the center line of Material street to the Ottawa river; the estimated cost of which severe 15 33 500 10.

Bids will also be received until the same date, for a virtilled the sawar known as the "High and Union street sawers," in becausered on the following line. Gammonoing at the intersection of the north line of Market Street with the color flow of Union street; thence north in the color line of Union street; thence north in the color line of the Union street; thence north in the color line of the Street with the color of the file of the Street with the color of Union street. Street, and running the new one on the street to the center of that avente it estimated cost of which sewer is such as ance with the plans and specifications no of the

cilyor a certained check moon is firm in payable to the City Cherk, in the follow amounts: Bids upon the Timberlakess extension, \$2.50,00; upon the Askars extension, \$2.50,00; upon the Askars extension, the High and Union street, sewer, All such checks of un-increasing bediers be returned to them within ten Quicas the award of contract. If the bidder whom the contract are awarded referenced to the Timberlake Contract to enter 150 contract with me

when the contracture award with a supercellect to enter intercontract with a supercellect to enter intercontract ward of each tract, the certified check deposites with its bid will be received by the city of thins as liquidated distinance.

The city reserves the right to relock by or all bids, error award a cool as for any part or air of cities of said a were.

C. E. LYNOH, thy Clerk

Lima, O., Feb. M. Boo. Feb. 37, theshed law SHERIPP'S SALM.

Henry B. Earnst.

By virtue of an order of sale, is the court of Common Phase of A by, Ohio, and to me directed, I we nie at the elist down of the cour Linu, Allen county, thio, on SATURDAY, MARCH SIST. A. B. 1000. Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p, the the following described lands and tenements, rituated in the viliage of West Cairo, Allen escury, state of this, and described as follows, to wit:

in tour further seventy seven (Timbowa ing's addition to West Chiro, Onto, 128 same being situated on the east also of C. H. & D. R. K. track south of Main street.

Allen county, Orio. Lima, Obio. February 28, 1980. Bildenour & Bulfhill, Plantin's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No. 8850. Page 228. August G. Laitz, as treasurer of Atlen Allen county, Ohio, plaining.

Alten country!

John M. C. Marble et al.,

Defendant. By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of Common Pleas, of Alica count. Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lina, Alica county, Ohio, on

SATURDAY, THE SISE DAY OF MARCH, A. D. 1980.

Between the hours at one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described inade and tenements, situated in the village of West Calto. Allen county, State of Obio, and described as follows, to-will In-lot number seventy-five (55) in flown ng's addition to the village of West Calf. Ohio, the same being situated on the cast deef the C. H. & D. R. I. track, south a water street.

Maio street.

Appraised at \$45.00.

Appraised Bale: Cash
E. A. BOGART, Sheriff.

Allen County, Onto.

Lima, Ohio, February 22, 1930

Ridenour & Hallbill, Finiatiff & Altorneys.

E. C. Boggart, Sheriff.

Notice of Dissolution.

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just so long as there is a particle of vitality left in the Lair roots. The fact that the head is smooth and sining is no positive proof that the roots beneath are dead.

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preparations furnish the easiest, surest and quickest way to ascertain if there is or is not latent life beneath a head bare of hair. Why not try them?

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

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CHURCH AND CLERGY.

The statement of the administrator

shows that the estate of D. L. Moody

The Italian railways have promised

the Pope a seventy per cent reduction

in railway fares for the jubilee year il

The Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurs

says that if he were a Protestant Pop

he would have his cardinals construct

a catechism on modern lines and re-

. There were only fifteen foreign mis

sionary societies in existence at the be

ginning of the nineteenth century

There are now 300 societies carrying

A question agitating the minds o

English churchmen is as to whether

the census of 1901 shall include an

obligatory profession of each person's

religion. Some of the advanced think-

ers are making an objection to any en-

forced declaration, on the ground that

Good old Granny Metcalfe, of Ken

An Easy Way to Keep Warm,

through the nose, being careful to hold

the air as long as persible before ex

pelling it, will keep the entire body

in a glow in the coldest weather. He

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WHAT THE WITS SAY.

That the happiest persons are those

That the amateur poet is once more

That when a man is in trouble his

friends console themselves with think-

tions, but the older they grow the more

Walker's Tonic is the link that

SAGE OF SAWHAW SAYS.

When a man stands abashed he had

Paddle your own canoc, and don't

There is one good thing about a

Boodlers are bound together with

Trouble will always go with a fel-

Only one class of men wouldn't

The baker's boy wants more than

If all men could get what they think

they earn the employing class would

A man doesn't require a quill pen to

CURES CATARRH ASTHMA HAY FEVER

his tart in the world.-Chicago Dis-

who have forgoiten how to worry.

engaged on his annual spring poem.

A physician calls attention to this

it abrogates personal rights.

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man is the ability to think.

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ing it will be a lesson to him.

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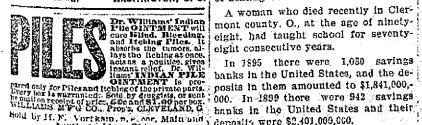
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dering how the photographer could ever afford to make such a beautiful thing so cheap .- New York Press.

opinion of the wisest statesman. It is equally true that to be prepared for sists of cork bark ground to an impalyspring is the best way to avoid the able powder and aggintinated by a ling her life. T. N. Cunningham, [136] peculiar dangers of the season. This solution of ultro-cellulose in acetone. N is a Jesson multitudes are learning. It contains about ten to twelve per and at this time, when the blood is sure to be loaded with imparities and be a trifle, if anything more combustto be weak and sluggish, the millions the than cork under the ordinary confact—that deep and forced respirations begin to take Hood's Sarsapariia, which purities, enriches and vitalizes the blood, expels all disease germs, creates a good appetite, gives strength and energy and puts the whole system in a healthy condition, preventing pneumonia, fevers, and other dange ous diseases which are liable to attack a weakened system.

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pany has made arrangements with two large casualty insurance companies to insure the lives of its employes. Special rates have been secured and the railroad company has so arranged that in event of any employe so desiring the lany man pain by a denial. amount of the premium will be deducted from his wages each month and turned over to one or the other of the insurance companies which have the privilege of insuring the employes.

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MUCH IN LITTLE.

Brazil bas decided to burn \$50,000,-000 of its new paper currency. Business failures in Great Britain

1898. A test made recently in Binghamton, N. Y., showed that the cost of heating cars by electricity is double that

A woman who died recently in Cler-

OUT OF THE MOUTHS OF BABES THE WORLD THE MOUTHS OF BABES

A small north side miss, aged 4, was reproved by her mother, who said: Even if I did not see you, Helen, God does." "Oh, He won't tell," was the little one's reply.

Little Willie-"The Bible says there will be no marrying in heaven. I wonder why?" Little Emma-"I don't know, unless it's because there won't be enough men to go round."

"Now, Tommy," said his mother on Christmas morning, "you must remember that it is more blessed to give than to receive." "Yes. I know, mamma." replied Tommy, "but I aln't a bit self-

"Say, mamma," said 4-year-old Flossie, who had eaten intemperately on the Christmas dinner, "my sash is just like the window sash." "Why is it, dear?" asked the mother. "Because it's all around the pain," replied Flos-

Edgar, aged 5, was afflicted with eargene and screamed frantically with "Hush, dear," said his mother, pain. "don't cry so; it only makes it worse. Don't you remember how nice your little baby brother behaved when he had the earache? He didn't make half so much fuss about it as you are making." "What d-does that k-kid know 'hout ear-a-ache?' sobbed Edgar. | "H-his ears ain't h-half as b-big as m-mine."

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Winter Trips in the Tropics.

The C. H. & D. Ry., has on 'sale at was himself half frozen one night, and its principal ticket offices both single began taking deep draughts and keepand round trip tickets to all points in ing the air in his lungs as long as pos-Cuba and the West Indies, Belize - sible. The result was that he was British Honduras-Livingston and utes. The deep respirations, he says. Port Barrios, Guatamala-Port Cortez, stimulate the blood-currents by direct Ceibe and Truxillo, Spanish Honduras, muscular exertions, and cause the en-Port Limon, Costa Rica-Bocas de tire system to become pervaded with Toro, Columbia—Elucfields and Rama, the rapidly generated heat. most province of Chili. It consists of Nicaragua; also to many other points the cast-off shell of a crab. The dead in Central and South America. Bagshell is white in fair, dry weather, but, gage checked through to destination. mosphere by small red spots, as the Sleeping car space and Steamer accommoisture of the air increases it be- modations reserved on application to comes entirely red and remains so ticket agent. If you contemplate a Southern trip, get information from your nearest C. H. & D. agent or write woman. Lingering La Grippe Cough. D. G. Edwards, P. T. M., Cincinnati,

APHORISMS OF GOLDSMITH.

The days of courtship are the most happy of our lives.

What we place most hopes on generand 50c. H. F. Vortkamp, Cor. Main ally proves most vital. None but the guilty can be long and

complacently miserable. Mortifications are often more painful than real calamities.

What the conversation wanted in Wit | That coquettes are naturally vexawas made up in laughter. To make law complete they should they become addicted to teas.-Phila-

reward as well as punish. delphia Times. He had not resolution enough to give

The dullest fellows may learn to be picks up the vital force of man in his comical for a night or two. If we had not very rich we generally had very happy friends about us. the Brain, regulating the action of the

The loss of fortune only serves to heart and nourishing the Nervous commonse the price of the worthy.

He Fooled The Surgeons.

All doctors told Renick Hamilton,of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18

small son. "I'm arraid that when your father comes home all tired out with his day's work and learns how naughtv you have been, he will punish you." 'Well," replied the precocious youngster, "I hope he will be so tired that it won't hurt very much."



Indigestion,

Constipation, Biliqueness.

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WEDDING CUSTOMS.

A Unique Practice That Still Is Carried on in Cornies.

> most suggestive is the travata of Corsica. It is a kind of barrier which stops the bride's procession as she is being conducted to her husband's village. The whole of her attendants must succeed in passing this barrier without touching it or she must pay a tribute. Early in the morning of the wedding day a crowd of relatives and friends assemble in the market place of the bride's village, the youths armed, their guns loaded, pistols charged and belts well furnished with ammunition. They arrive by all the mountain paths, most of them on horseback, all dressed in their Sunday best. The bridegroom is led forward by his father; he enters the village, receives his bride, and leads her off, but at the end of the village there is a tri umphal arch, and under it the passage is obstructed by a belt of ribbon stretched from one side to the other. When the bride reaches the arch one of the elders of the village stands on the other side of the ribbon barrier and delivers a speech. Why do you leave us?" he says to the bride. "Were you not happy with us?" The bride, leaning on the barrier, insists, and gives her reasons; then places a small purse in the orator's hand. This contains an offering for the church. The ribbon is then detached, the bride passes, and at the same time all the young people of the wedding party start off, spurring on their horses in the effort to be the first to reach the bridegroom's village. The first to arrive has the right to take the keys to the house present them to the bride and do the honors of the wedding feast. During this time the procession advances, and at the entrance to the village is another arch and another barrier. Another orator also appears. He first addresses the armed youths and then the bride. A second time the purse is given, a secand time the barrier is lowered. The procession enters the village and procoeds to the house, where the winner

tucky, 89 years old, says that Dr. Bell's of the keys is waiting to present them: Pine-Tar-Honey is the best Grip Cure, the bride is at home, and the festivi-Cough, Lung and Bronchial remedy ties begin. CASTORIA. Beers the

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> an interest in what other women wear it's time to call in the doctor.

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usually wins the battle.

pany seldom returns the compliment. run-down state and binds him to his friends are apt to question his health and strength by recuperating veracity.

With the exception of the snow shovel necessity is the mother of all inventions.

System. T. N. Cunningham, 136 The realist may not find marriage a failure, but the idealist would better remain single.

how ignorant the other fellow is.

If you would place a small boy in him five minutes later put him in the pantry.

It is difficult to convince a girl that noae.-Chicago Daily News.

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man who isn't afraid to say, "I don't know" occasionally. That if anyone hates you, overcome

his dislike by asking him for some That when a woman no longer takes

That it looks like a waste of money

That President Kruger's wife should be jealous of her husband, because he has his arms around Ladysmith .-

The Best Salve in the World

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POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

The mule that gets in the first kick

Misery loves company, but the com-If a man owns an intelligent dog

Some men talk on subjects they know nothing about just to find out

all things are for the best when she is compelled to remain away from a ball

Werner's Dictionary of Synonyms & Antonyms,

is essentially a blood disease. The blood is vitiated by the retention of acid poisons, which affect all the joints and muscles and tissues of the body, producing the most exeruciating pain. The majority of people when stricken with the matism, immediately resort to the use of remediately and the strick of the use of remediate of the use o dies of external application—liniments, cintments, electricity, etc.—trying to reach the terrible pain through the skin; but the mistake of such treatment is apparent when we remember that the disease is in the blood and are called to a such treatment. blood and can only be cured by a thorough course of S. S. S. (5wift's Specific). This great remedy, by its solvent properties, neutralizes the uric soid poison and forces it out of the system through the natural channels,

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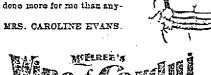
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WISE OR OTHERWISE.

"They say" is an excuse some people have for lying. A searchlight isn't necessary to enable a man to find fault.

Many a man's money burns a hole in some other man's pocket. The hardest thing to forgive is an

act of undeserved kindness. Some men seem to be troubled with fatty degeneracy of morals.

When money is tight it causes a good deal of sober thought. Any fool man with money shows up well on the retina of a woman's eye.

Many of the things that come to the man who waits find him asleep and go on again. One great trouble with a liar is that

people won't believe him when he does tell the truth.

MARCH AND THE LION

Something Better Than the Old Saw.

The saying about the Hon and the spot where you are certain of finding lamb in March often proves false, but there is another and a better one which is litterally true. When March feel better all through the coming North and Main Sts. . summer.

Germany's Medical Men.

Berlin has 2,233 medical men, Munich 637, Hamburg 533, Breslau 510, Leipsic 411, Dresden 408, Cologne 332, Frankfort 312, Charlottenburg 298, Konigsberg 250, Hanover 234, and Strassburg 234.

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ON LITERATURE AND ART.

The chastisement of the artist who wishes to outdo in ugliness is success. I like a good book with no commentary, and a fine landscape with no cic-

Men of genius have little need to study rules; they divine them or create them.

We give new names to old things, that we may persuade ourselves to be their discoverers. The artist of talent makes what his customers want, the artist of genius

creates what he pleases and a market for it as well. Ideas jostle each other in the streets; is that why so few are to be found in books?-From the French of Gus-

tavo Vapereau. No writer or artist should reflect anybody else; mconlight gives us gracious and softened outlines, but not a

little deformity as well. Preciseness in details without grasp of a large, comprehending plan, is reliance on a clock with an excellent hand for the seconds and none for the

A Fiendish Attack

An attack was lately made on C. F. Collier of Cherokee, lown, that nearly comes in and finds you taking Hood's proved fatal. It came through his Sarsaparilla to purify, enrich and kidneys. His back got so lame he vitalize your blood, you may expect, could not stoop without great pain, nor because of a boil on the end of her when it goes out, that it will leave you sit in a chair except propped by cushfree from that tired feeling and with ions. No remedy helped him until none of the boils, pimples and erup- he tried Electric Bitters which effected tions which manifest themselves be- such a wonderful change that he writes cause of impure blood in the spring, he feels like a new man. This mar-If you have not already begun taking velous medicine cures backache and Hood's Sarsaparilla for your spring kidney trouble, purifies the blood and medicine, we advise you to begin to builds up your health. Only 50c at lony. We assure you it will make you H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, corner

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er with long hair. When a woman gets mad at her husband she always tries to break his heart by taking to kissing him the way women do.

she generally looks as if she was won-

To be Prepared For war is the surest way for this na-

A curious barometer is said to be

G. Vacher, 157 Osgood St., Chicago, Ohio. 19141 pm case of la grippe, and it left her with a very bad cough. She tried a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and it gave immediate relief. A 50 cent bottle cured her cough entirely." Price 25c.

and North streets.

The New York Central Railway com-

J. R. Garrison, Cashier of the bank of Thornville, Ohio, had been robbed of health by a serious lung trouble" until

during 1899 were 8,600, against 8,895 in

of heating with coal.

Sold by It. F. Vortkain ... P. cor. Malti and 1 deposits were \$2,401,009,000.

make a goose of himself. Many have done it with the improved article, A remedy which answers this description is the Bitters. It has cured thou-sands of suffer-

FIRE&SUNBURN.CHAFING. BUNIONS & TIRED FEET. CHAPPED FACE LIPS & HANDS SAFE REMEDY FOR PILES
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CAUSE

duit Ordinance.

Which Was Passed Then Reconsidered Because of the Solicitor's Sudden

Atlack.

The telephone conduit ordinance that was prizzed Monday night by the city council without opposition upon the part of city solicitor Henderson and the attorneys and other representatives of the telephone company had left the room, is of interest to the pubhe for the reason that it is the first atep taken toward relieving the city of and my only wish my boy is, that you the great and dangerous network of get there on election day. Am only wires that are now located overhead, sorry that I can't be with you, to Copies of the ordinance were submitted to the solicitor and members of the city council a week ago. No cause for there, and Lima will never regret the opposition was detected and the members of the council were both surprised | to make her an up to-date city-a good, and indignant at the manner in which live, hustling mayor This is once the Mr. Henderson launched his opposition after maving given all reason to believe in you they have made a wise selection. that ne considered the measure a Give my regards to all the boys and Culp, Elida proper one. Following is the full text I'm wishing you good luck, if I can't of the ordinance

AN ORDINANCE.

An ordinance granting to the Lima Telephone Company of Lima, Ohio, a corporation, its successors or assigns, the right to construct a conduit and maintain an underground system for wires and cables.

City of Lima, Ohio, as follows.

Section 1. Toutpermission is hereby granted to the Lima Telephone Company, of Lima, Ohie, a corporataon, its successors or assigns, to enter | oil, Peter Lora. Isaac Stauffer and W. abon the highways, streets, and sherof the city of Lims, Ohio, and to conwirnet from time to time as it may regure and maistain, in, along and under said ways, streets, alleys and avenas, anderground condults and to place therein wires, cables and appliances, with the right to construct and maintain manholes to said conduits und erectasatributing roles wherever the same shall be necessary.

such underground conduits are laid, anxious for his election. the said The Lima Telephone Company, its successors or assigns, shall, as soon as practicable, reconstruct the said lines, streets and public grounds to the sion yesterd if to take action upon methsfaction of the City Civil Engineer such matters as needed their attenand City Council

Section 3 This ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its pos sage and publication according to law Lima Telephone Company, shall file with the City Clerk its written acceptauce of the terms and concilions of

Y. P. S. C. E. SOCIAL

Tonight at the Home of Mrs R H. Gamble, 724 West High.

tonight by the young people of the recognize in the gentlemen referred to First Congregational church. A one of the active workers for the party maple sugar social is to be indulged in and the Shawnee township committee-

This society is greatly stirred up Hume, Allen county. over the terrible Indian famine and will make a special effort at this social to raise a large amount of selected delegates yesterday and money to send to the rescue. All adopted resolution instructing them to members and friends of the society support Judge W. T. Mooney for cirand all interested in suffering human-cuit judge and Hon. R. B. Gordon for ity are cordially invited to be present. a second term in congress.

OTHERS HAVE HAVE YOU?

openings during the last three days, J. N. Fletcher's harness shop. but there are many hundreds who have not. Some caller will be given a very fine large Axminster rug that is worth \$22.50. It costs you nothing. You do not need to buy anything. Just bring your favisation with you and get a chance. If no invitation was day evening, March 28th. All memleft at your door come in anyway, the b rs of the degree staff please be boy who passed them may have missed present. you. You are invited anyway and you shill have a chance at the rug, and remember it costs you nothing but a call a our sto e any time this

week. THE NEWSO'-DEAKIN BOND CO.

Ladies, clean your kid gloves with LaBelle glove cleaner; for sale only by Mrs. F. Light, headquarters for kid gloves and sole agent for the famous Voltaire and Melrose gloves in all the leading shades. . Gloves fitted and war-5- t.

WORTHY

at Lorain, Ohio.

"Lima Will Never Regret the Choice," Are the Words of Peter's Friend-

Political Notes.

Candidate Peter Laughlin has received the following letter of congratuntil after the votes had been recorded prietor of the leading notion store at take up the civil cases assigned for Lorain, O.

LORAIN, O. MARCH 18, 1900. My Dear Friend and Brother.

Accept my hearty congratulations "push the good tning along." I know Pete you will make a record if you get choice. As that is all that she needs "demmies" didn't make a mistake, for Griffith, Sugar Creek: P. F. Neidhard', vote for you, I shall pull for you, so "get there Pete."

Yours Fraternally. ABE M. FRANKEL.

The Republicans and Democrats of Bioffton he'd their primaries on Fri-Be it ordained by the Council of the day and Saturday, respectively, and placed in nomination the following tickets. Democratic-Mayor, C. D. Amstutz, marsnal A. L. Conrad, coun-A Morrison, water works trustee, Al-

Cook and T A. Kitchen. Republican-Mayor, Capt. Warren Clark; council, A. D. Lugabill, S. L. Kimmel and J. A Amstatz, water works trustee, W. H. Euler; school board, D S. Beeshy and G. H. Lewis Mr. Conrad has no opposition for mar-Section 2. That in all cases where shal, the Republicans being equally the plaintiff a small tract of land in Alice, Ethel and Elwood Stukey.

The board of elections was in ses tion. Nothing definite was done regarding the questionable tickets of Bath and Richland townships, it beand provided that within thirty days ing thought necessary to postpone from the passage thereof, the said The final consideration until the meeting of the board on Thursday. The independent ticket headed by Mr. Blank will be left open, as required by law for five days, to premit of any objections that may be filed.

"Wm. Boogher, of Buckland, was among the guests at the Harrod House yesterday," is the way the Republican-Gazette blindly puts it. It is strange White left a sum of money to be exthat the Republican organ of the county should so soon forget its A very pleasant time is anticipated condidate for recorder, and fail to and a varied entertainment presented man, whose postoffice address is

The Democrats of Auglaize county

For Sale.

A good road, draft or general purpose horse, 7 years old, 1900 pounds Many hundreds have attended our weight and sound. Enquire early at

I. O. O. F.

Golden Gate Rebecca Lodge will hold its next regular meeting Wednes-JULIA REED, N.G.

THE BEST POSTED PEOPLE

In the city say our display of Oriental Rugs is very fine and that the prices are won tertully low. We would like to show them to you.

THE NEWSON-DEAKIN BOND CO.

Buy Carpets at Carroll & Cooney's. Largest stock. Lowest prices.

JURIES

Of the Solicitor's Fit. Ambition Of Laughlin, For the Spring Term Celebration Was, Held From Today's Roundup

Full Text of the Telephone Con- Appreciated By a Former Limaile Were Drawn Today and Court At the Home of Mr. and Mrs. E. And Concentrated for the Eve-Will Open on April 16th

> The Issues in the Ridenour Case Were Submitted to Judge Cunningham -Jury Dismissed Until Monday.

The spring term of common pleas court will begin on April 16th, when ulation from A. M. Frankel, a former the grand jury will go into secret ses-Lima business man, who is now pro- sion. On the 23d the petit jury will docket The following names were by the clerk and sherriff.

Petit Jury-Lewis Osman, of Perry township; Abe Early, Monroe; Aaron Fisher, Delphos: Frank Haberhour, First ward, John Hardin, Sixth ward; Charles E Craig, Monroe; R. N. Rockhill, Monroe, Jeff Morris, Second ward: Clint McCurry, Spencer, Henry Ridenour, Sugar Creek; J. L. Moore, Sixth ward; W. J. States, Richland, R. W. Spencer: L. E Thayer, Bath David

Grand Jury-J. M. Beard, Spencer Albert Gale, Seventh ward. James C. Black, Third ward, Jeff Hites, Fourth ward. Henry Simors, Fourth ward; church. David Applas, Seventh ward Jacob Althaus Richland, Enjah Wollet, Bath; J & O'Connor, First ward, C. B. Toust, Delphos: James Hank. Jackson, Sheldon Surber, Sugar Creek.

AGREED TO A SHIFT EMENT.

He had agreed to pay \$200 for the settlement made was that the property township should be deeded to the plaintiff per agreement, he to pay the taxes and

IN PROBATE COURT

the defendint,

Mirs. Jennie White has filed her final account as guardian of her daughter Gladys, to whom the late Mr. pended in the interest of the child.

Stukey, Last Night.

Official Board of Grace M. E. Church and Other Friends Were Royally Entertained.

Last evening Mr. and Mrs. E. Stukey, of south Main street, enter tained a large party of friends in honor of the twentieth anniversary of be held at the church and all members trial after the customary calling of the the date upon which they became are requested to be present. members of the congregation of Grace drawn from the wheel this morning M. E church. The handsome home was well filled with happy guests, including the church official board and their families The rendition of the following program was enjoyed by all. Serg-"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"
Fraver
Song 'All the Way the Savior Leads

Scripture Keading Perry Metzger Prater L Wheeler Pizno Solo Walter Mank Address Rev Leatherman Cuartette . uariette diese de Board Rev Multhie opromptu Mrs Weiherill Brother Berty, Mrs Wheeler Mrs Multhie, Mrs stukey and Mr Stukey.

After the program the daughters of the home served a suitable collation in two courses Everybody was happy and the event was a memorable one for the family and the officers of the er, J H. Kersker, of Price Hill.

the occasion, all of whom returned McDermott, of south Jackson street, home thankful for the courch that Monday at six o'clock tea. thus honors its members and faithful!

Clarence Brookhart and wife, J. W. Allen and wife, Dr. A S Rudy, wife The jury was dispensed with this and daughter, L. Wheeler and wife, morning in the case of Hiram C. Rev. A Berry and wife, J. H. M. Ridenour vs. Su ih Ridenour and the Morrison, wife and children, J. E. Deunder the cour's suggestion. The H. Wetherill, F. M Reed and wife, S. Springfield. She will leave for Spring action was brought to compet the B Cochran, Rev. W H Leatherman, field next Saturday. defendant to cury out the terms of a H A. Lewis, Mrs W E. Mctray and Mrs. Harry Miller, of east Kibby verbal contract which transferred to son, of Oil City, Pa, Bessie, Amy, street, is quite ill.

A wedding occurred last evening at property and was given five years' the residence of the officiating minis- to attend the theater. time. Part of the money was paid ter, Rev. D. R. Cook, of 742 east High but the defendant refused a tender of street. The bride and groom were the balance claiming that she was to W. J. Hasting, of Auglaire county, lug for a several weeks business trip receive interest and the taxes. The and Mrs Anna Blackburn, of German in the interest of South West Mining

interest from April 1st, 1894 Each formerly pastor of the Market Street Lake City, Utah, and Seattle, Washing side agreed to pay their share of the Presbyterian Church, was robbed at ton. court costs J C. Ridenourrepresented Bellefontaine Sunday night, while the the plaintiff and Motter & Mackenzie family was a away on a violt. The thieves were not captured and it is not the critical illness of his nephew. known whether anything of value was

For Sale-Three No. 1 family cows, beth street.

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ning's Review.

Brief Notes of Limalty: Abroad, Visitors Who Are Here, and of the Day's Happenings.

The Ladies Aid Society of the first U. B. Church will meet Thursday afternoon to Snish up work and arrange for other business. The meeting will

The Woman's Culture Club will meet at the home of Mrs Overly, No-743 west Wayne street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. All members of the South Lima Oil

Co., are requested to meet at Wm

Piper's office, on south Main street, this evening at 7.30 Important busi-Mrs W. E. McCray, of Oil City, Pa

who has been visiting her parents, Mrs and Mrs. Enos Stukey, of south Union street, will return home tonight

Mrs. Frank Zink and daughter have returned from Cincinnati, after a pleasant visit with the former's broth-

Mr and Mrs Charles Carnes, Second The following were the guests of street, entertained Mr and Mrs. Jas.

> Mr. and Mrs John Stemen, of east McKibben street, spent Sunday with friends in Beaver Dam.

Miss Alice Caffrey, daughter or Mr. and Mrs. James Caffrey, o' north Washington street, who has held a issues submitted to Judge Cunning- Vot and vife, J. E Coleman and wife, position as stenographer at the office bert Bramer, school board, George ham for adjustment. The hearing M. Evy, wife and son Glen, Rev W. of Donaldson & Boat in Sidney for only occupied a crt time at the con- F. Malthie and wife, Rev P L Metz- the past two years, has resigned to acclusion of which the parties at law got ger, Walter Mauk, R. E. Wolf and cept a position in the office of the together and agreed to a settlement wife, W. M. Ballard and wife, Mrs W. county clerk of Clark county, at

Mr and Mrs W. I. Wolford, Mrs. Ira B. Post and Miss Jennie Robbins. of Spencerville, came over last evening

Attorney E. N Lewis left this morn and Production company. His hirst stop will be at Kansas City, from there The residence of Dr. A. J. Pish, he goes to Florence, Colorado, Salt

> L C. Siflord, of east McKibben street, has been called to Dayton by

The ladies of the O. L. S will have Masonic hall. All the members are ust fresh. Inquire at 531 north Diza- requested to bring their box By or-

Every department is ready to serve you.

The past few days have brought big shipments of bright. new spring wear.

Novelties from the best fashion centers are here for your choosing.

Our Tailor-Made Suits, Silk Waists, Wash Waists and Ready. to-Wear Skirts, are worthy of your consideration. The best tailors, product, very reasonably priced.

If you are having a new gown made, consult us for the Trimmings. Never before was the variety so large or the styles so pleasing. The best Linings, too, are here.

When you are ready to have your new gown fitted, have it fitted over one of our Corsets. We can fit you perfectly and give you a Corset that will do its duty as to service.







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The citizens of Lima have learned to look to this store as headquarters for HIGH GRADE UP-TO-

An examination of our stock for this spring will not disappoint you. We are determined not to lower the standard established by us during the past year, but, if possible, to raise it. Not "How Cheap" but "How Good" will continue to be our motto.

We most cordially invite you to examine our stock of MEN'S SUITS in Plaid, Striped and Plain

MEN'S SPRING TOP COATS, all the rew weaves, including the Oxford Mixtures, plain and silk

Mothers should not buy a CHILD'S SUIT without first examining our line. Many new and exclusive designs.

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